

# President Is Planning To Accept Honor This Evening

By JACK BELL

Philadelphia, July 14 (AP)—The Truman-Barkley ticket chosen without benefit of roll call, the thirteenth Democratic convention came to the put-up-or-shut-up point today on the heralded southern revolt.

The odds were heavy that few southerners really would bolt what was billed by National Chairman J. Howard McGrath at a marathon session to agree on a platform, pick two nominees and adjourn.

But if the battle got too hot, the windup might be delayed until tomorrow.

President Truman planned to come up from Washington to accept his nomination in an off-the-cuff speech which leaders hoped might be put on the air by midnight at the latest.

Senator Alben W. Barkley of Kentucky, welcomed into the 1948 Democratic partnership by Mr. Truman himself, still was being coy about accepting formally.

**Resents Truman Choice**

Barkley, 70 year old party warrior, told reporters he might say something today.

Although the Kentuckian obviously was miffed at Mr. Truman's previous misfiring bid toward Justice William O. Douglas, friends said they had no doubt that he would accept the No. 2 spot on the ticket.

In fact, some rebellious southerners were talking of Barkley for No. 1 man, largely because the 28-minute demonstration given him when he completed his keynote speech Monday night hasn't been approached in enthusiasm since.

There were reports that Alabama—first on a roll call that may be reached today if the civil rights battle fizzes—might pop up with Barkley's name as an opponent to Mr. Truman.

**Threaten Walk-out**

Barkley insisted, however, he would squelch any such move with an announcement that he wouldn't take the first place nomination under any circumstances.

Handy Ellis, chairman of the Alabama delegation, said some of his group would walk out if they don't get what they like in the platform.

There was no doubt that the Dixie delegations didn't subscribe to what came out of a 108-member drafting committee on the explosive civil rights issue.

On that topic the platform pledged the party to "continuing its efforts to eradicate all racial, religious and economic discrimination."

That was a far cry from President Truman's proposals that Congress enact specific laws banning state poll taxes, job discrimination, race segregation and lynching.

But the southerners were publicly incensed by the committee's refusal to include a states' rights declaration.

**South May Fight**

The question was: How much of a showdown fight would they actually make?

The answer could be furnished only by a convention that didn't have much else to decide and would—as most Democratic sessions do—like a nice eye-busting fight.

Southerners spawned minority reports against the platform committee's recommendations. Civil rights advocates promised some, too.

Former Governors Dan Moody of Texas and Chauncey Sparks of Alabama and Senator Clyde Hoey of North Carolina asked for time to talk on the Dixie minority stand.

Nevertheless there remained the possibility that after they and the opposing side have aired their views, the platform might be approved on a voice with House minority leader Sam Rayburn, the permanent chairman, gaveling that revolt into oblivion.

**Beat Down Revolt**

An abortive effort to restore the two-thirds rule which until 1936 gave the south a veto over presidential nominations died that way last night under Barkley's hammer-like blows.

But any delegate who could make himself heard in the steaming, usually-packed convention hall, might force a vote on the issue.

For the finale there remained the south's much publicized revolt against Mr. Truman. It seemed likely to add up, at most, to about one sixth of the 1,234 official convention votes.

Senator Fulbright (D-Ark.) estimated that about 200 votes will be cast for other candidates when Mr. Truman is nominated on the first ballot. A national committee official, who would not be quoted by name, came up with the same figure.

What's more, the President approached the showdown hour with no formal opponent in sight except Gov. Ben Laney of Arkansas, the choice of some—but not all—Dixie groups. Laney's friends claimed 114

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**Local Weather**

Yesterday's high 86

Last night's low 70

Today at 1:30 p. m. 78

Rain in last 24 hours 0.29

Special sale summer trousers, \$5.50.

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Watch and jewelry repairing, Edward Hughes, 246 Chambersburg street.

## \$103,570 PAID 1,900 FARMERS IN THIS COUNTY

Adams county farmers who last year planted over 82,808 acres in crops received \$103,570 from the federal government for taking part in various approved farming practices.

The government's program "to help farmers do a better job of farming by providing financial assistance" was participated in by 1,900 farmers. Of that number 1,500 reported during the past month on the number of acres they had in crops during 1947.

According to the reports the 1,500 had 27,059 acres in hay, 26,803 in corn, 20,511 in wheat, 2,980 in barley, 2,331 in oats, 121 in rye, 244 in potatoes, 266 in soybeans and 2,513 in vegetables.

**Pay For Fertilizer**

Compiled by the county Agricultural Conservation Association office, the figures show that county farmers applied 33,682 tons of lime to their fields under the conservation program. The government paid \$1.90 and the farmer paid \$2.10 per ton, a total of \$134,728, of which county farmers paid \$70,732.20.

The government paid 84 cents per hundredweight for cash fertilizer containing 20 per cent superphosphate and the farmers placed 2,772,100 pounds of 20 per cent on their fields. They also placed 31,944 pounds of phosphoric acid in mixed fertilizer on pastures and orchards and the federal agency paid 42 cents per pound toward that cost.

A total of 243,000 pounds of 18 per cent superphosphate was applied, with the subsidy there being 76½ cents per hundred pounds.

**4 Miles of Tile**

The farmers also placed over four miles of tile under-drains under the program of approved practices, receiving in return amounts depending on the size of the tile. The farmers who laid 5,410 feet of three-inch tile were reimbursed at the rate of 3½ cents per foot. Those who put in 18,690 feet of four-inch tile got four cents a foot and those who put in 500 feet of six-inch tile received eight cents per foot for their efforts.

Payments of \$2 per acre for 1,775 acres were made for using ryegrass as a winter cover crop. But other winter cover crops, including wheat, oats, rye, vetch and mixtures of them, totaled 5,027 acres. Uncle Sam paid off at a rate of \$1.50 per acre.

Ten hundred and twenty linear feet of diversion ditches were constructed under the program, with the payment being \$1.50 per 100

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## BULLETINS

Washington, July 14 (AP)—Russia replied today to the American, British and French protests against the Soviet blockade of Berlin. Soviet Ambassador Alexander S. Panyushkin delivered Moscow's response personally to Secretary of State Marshall at the state department at 9:30 a.m. EST. He acted within a few hours after similar replies had been delivered by Soviet envoys in London and Paris.

Berlin, July 14 (AP)—The Soviet administration's official German newspaper hinted today that Moscow will reject the western allies' notes demanding that Russia lift its food blockade of Berlin. The paper, Tagesspiegel, in an editorial headed "Whom do they think they're frightening?" described the western protests as laughable.

Washington, July 14 (AP)—The state department today sought more information on four big American planes being detained for investigation at airports on both sides of the Atlantic. Specifically, the department wants to know if the planes were headed for Palestine to join Israel's fighting forces.

This country has adopted a policy of strict neutrality in the continuing Arab-Jewish struggle in the Middle East. Last December, it embargoed munitions shipments of all kinds, including aircraft, to Palestine and its neighboring Arab states.

**Cairo, July 14 (AP)—**The Jews announced military successes today in north, south and middle Palestine.

They claimed to have captured Shafa 'Amr, 12 miles west of the major port of Haifa. It was the nearest base of Fawzi Pasha Al Kaakji, who leads Arab volunteer forces, to Haifa. Two-winged Syrian bombers attacked Haifa for the second time but caused no serious damage.

**Birth Announcements**

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Benner, Littlestown, announce the birth of a daughter at the Warner hospital this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair E. Thoman, Hanover, Pa., have announced the birth of a daughter, Linda Mae, July 11.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Glen Straley, Littlestown, at the Hanover hospital.

## John S. Rices Attend Reception At Democratic Convention



Pennsylvanians attend a state reception at the Ritz Carlton hotel at Philadelphia during Democratic convention. Left to right: Col. John S. Rice, chairman of state delegation to the convention, Gettysburg; Matthew H. McCloskey, Jr., Philadelphia; Mrs. John S. Rice; Rep. Tad Walter, Easton; Albert M. Greenfield, Philadelphia; Mrs. David L. Lawrence, Pittsburgh; Rep. Augustine Kelly, Greensburg; Mayor David L. Lawrence, Pittsburgh. (The man in white, fourth from right, is unidentified.)

Nineteen of the youngsters will arrive July 23 and five others will come here at various times during August.

Those scheduled to receive youngsters as their guests for two weeks starting July 23 and the type of youngster they request include: Mrs. Floyd Bishop, Gettysburg R. 3, one Catholic girl; Mrs. Fred Sanders, 139 East Water street, one Protestant girl; Mrs. Roy Swope, Gettysburg R. 4, a Protestant girl and a Protestant boy; Mrs. George Johannmeyer, 159 Chambersburg street, a Greek boy; Mrs. Anna Cole Shields, Biglerville R. 1, Julius Bristol, a Catholic boy, who was her guest last year; Mrs. G. Marjorie Stambaugh, 418 Carlisle street, two Protestant girls; Mrs. Belle Warren, Biglerville R. 2, a Protestant girl; (Please turn to Page 3)

President Luther D. Snyder presided at the weekly meeting of the Littlestown Rotary club, Tuesday evening in Schott's Banquet hall and Charles Ritter, chairman of the program committee, was in charge of a club assembly. Three vocal selections were given by the Misses Jean Reck and Eleanor Harner, accompanied on the piano by Miss Reck's father, Wilbur Reck.

Chairman Ritter explained the aims and objects of Rotary and the committees met with their chairman to plan the work for the year.

Next week's meeting will be in the form of an outing at Luther Snyder's cottage on the Severn river, below Baltimore. For those needing transportation, cars will leave at 1, 3 and 5 o'clock. There will be boating, fishing, swimming and other sports. The program committee consisting of Charles Ritter, Richard Little, Bernard Schott and Roy D. Knouse, will be in charge.

The semi-monthly meeting of Ocker-Smyl Post No. 321, American Legion, Thursday night has been cancelled because of the carnival. There will be a meeting, Thursday, July 22 at 8 p.m. in the post home, East King street.

Harry T. Harner and Robert L. Crouse will be in charge of the program. (Please turn to Page Two)

**BAILED FOR HEARING**

S. A. Simmons, Fairfield R. D., arrested Tuesday afternoon by Constable Leo Riley on a charge of aggravated assault and battery, was released by Justice of the Peace John H. Baschore in \$1,000 bail for a hearing Thursday. The complainant was a neighbor, George Great, according to Squire Baschore, and the alleged assault followed an argument over bailing hay, he said, on July 11.

**COUPLE ENTERTAINED**

A wedding dinner was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ecker in honor of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rosser Wickline who were recently married. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Slabugh, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ecker and sons, Harold and Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Hershey Bowers and daughters, Barbara and Nancy, and son, Junior, Mr. and Mrs. Wickline, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Naugle and daughter, Linda, Miss Mary Cool and Wayne Ecker.

**AUXILIARY TO MEET**

The Ladies' auxiliary of the Fairfield community fire company will hold a regular meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the firemen's hall.

Prosperity dry cleaners wishes to improve upon its customers, that beginning July 18 to August 18 they will close at 5:00 o'clock weekdays and 5:00 o'clock Saturdays as usual.

Women's large size print neckerchief, size 42-48, \$2.95. Anna Brier Specialty shop.

**Here And There**

News Collected At Random

The pen used by President Truman to sign Senate Joint Resolution 158 authorizing the issuance of a special series of stamps to commemorate the 85th anniversary of Lincoln's Gettysburg Address has been sent to your reporter. The gift came as a complete surprise. It had not been requested.

The pen had been ordered sent by President Truman to Colonel Philip Mathews, chairman of the Pennsylvania Democratic State Committee who in turn sent it to us.

Two letters accompanied the pen, one from Charles G. Ross, secretary to the President and the other from Colonel Mathews. They read as follows:

Secretary Ross to Colonel Mathews:

"I am happy to send you here with the pen with which the President signed S. J. Res. 158, Joint Resolution to authorize the issuance of a special series of stamps commemorative of the eighty-fifth anniversary of Lincoln's Gettysburg Address.

"With my best wishes, I am, Sincerely yours,"

Colonel Mathews' letter:

"I know you would be interested in having the pen with which President Truman signed the joint resolution for the printing of the Lincoln Gettysburg Address stamps. Here is the pen and Mr. Ross' letter to me which I pass on to you with my very best wishes."

**FIREMEN TO MEET**

Members of the Gettysburg fire company will go to their retreat in the South Mountains this evening for a roast beef dinner and their regular July meeting. The affair is scheduled for 7:30 o'clock.

**Togliatti, Italy's Leading Communist, Shot Three Times By Young Student; May Live**

Rome, July 14 (AP)—A young Sicilian law student pumped three bullets today into Palmiro Togliatti, Italy's leading Communist, wounding him gravely. The Communist-led Labor Confederation called a general strike in the city of Rome this afternoon.

Togliatti was cut down as he emerged from the chamber of deputies building. As he fell to the ground the assailant fired two more bullets, but both missed their mark.

Togliatti was rushed to a hospital, suffering gravely from loss of blood. As surgeons began operating, an attending physician expressed belief the 55-year-old Communist chief would live.

**"Ardent Nationalist"**

Police seized his assailant and identified him as Antonio Pallante, 23, of Randazzo. Police said he told them he had long planned the attack on Togliatti. The assailant was described as an ardent nationalist without party affiliation.

One bullet struck Togliatti in the neck just below the ear, crazing the skin. Two bullets entered his chest. Physicians extracted the two bullets and declared the operation "satisfactory."

The attack came at the height of a new drive by Italian Leftists to upset the middle-of-the-road government of Premier Alcide de Gasperi. Bolke the Chamber of Deputies

## Plan Wall, Fence At New County Jail

The Adams county commissioners are planning to construct a 15-foot reinforced concrete block wall along the southern part of the new jail yard, according to an advertisement approved by the commissioners today.

In the advertisement, the commissioners are seeking bids for 152 lineal feet of wall, and in addition 163 lineal feet of 12-foot wire fence which will go along the east and northern sections of the jail yard.

Bids for the wall will be opened at 9 o'clock standard time August 4 at the court house.

## E. A. SEABROOK IS HONORED BY FAIRFIELD BODY

Fairfield's borough council Tuesday evening held its regular meeting in the form of a testimonial banquet to retired Secretary E. A. Seabrook.

Meeting at Myers' Corner grill, the town officials paid tribute to Seabrook who resigned as borough secretary January 3 after serving in that post for 25 years. The dinner had been delayed due to Mr. Seabrook's health.

Former Secretary Seabrook and Burgess H. L. Harbaugh were among the speakers, reminiscing on events in the town since before the turn of the century. They both concluded that the council today received about as much criticism as did the councils in the early 1900s, and added that the problems of the town are much the same today as the ones that faced them years ago.

**Grant Taxi Stand**

During a brief business session the council approved the location of a taxi stand for the Kleppinger and Hiner taxi in front of the Odd Fellows hall, now Kleppinger's store. Twelve dollars in fines were collected during the past month, a report showed.

Attending the meeting in addition to Mr. Seabrook and Burgess Harbaugh were Borough Secretary James Donaldson, Chief of Police Harry Sease, Borough Treasurer Howard L. Welker, Council President Sherman J. Sites, and councilmen Howard Reindollar, R. M. Summers, Harry McGlaughlin, Peter C. Musselman, and Roger Myers.

The dinner arrangements were made by a committee headed by Councilman Myers. The next meeting of the council will be held August 10.

**Hold Hearing On Capitol Bus Plan**

Harrisburg, July 14 (AP)—The Capitol Bus company, of Harrisburg, called four women witnesses to testify at a hearing on its application to establish a new bus service from Harrisburg to Washington, D. C.

The women appeared yesterday before a joint board of the Interstate Commerce commission. All testified that present transportation conditions along the proposed new route are "inadequate" and "poorly scheduled."

The company's application is being opposed by the Pennsylvania railroad, the Greyhound Bus lines and the Blue Ridge Bus lines.

Joseph L. Maguire, president of the Capitol Bus company, testified that his proposed new service would facilitate travel between Scranton and Washington and would cut time from existing schedules.

The new route would also include Gettysburg and Frederick, Md., in its course to the nation's capital.

**Special Meeting Of Woman's Club Called**

A special meeting of the executive board of the Gettysburg Woman's club has been called by Mrs. Henry M. Scharf, president, and will be held at the Hotel Gettysburg Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Members of the committee, in addition to Mrs. Scharf, are: Mrs. C. E. Bilheimer, Mrs. Robert M. Hunt, Mrs. R. E. Berkeimer, Mrs. Earl E. Zeigler, Mrs. J. Walter Coleman, Mrs. Guile W. Lefever, Mrs. S. F. Snyder, Mrs. C. Ross Shuman, Mrs. Frank H. Kramer, Mrs. Charles W. Pitzer and Mrs. A. Harrison Barr.

**BAND TO REHEARSE**

Members of the Blue and Gray band were urged today to report for a rehearsal Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the engine house. The band is preparing for a series of four or more public appearances in the near future. The first will be a public concert in center square within the next week or two.

**Weather Forecast**

Considerable cloudiness and slightly cooler tonight; Thursday mostly cloudy with moderate temperatures.

All summer handbags reduced to 1/2 price. Anna Brier Specialty shop.

**FINED FOR SPEEDING**

Robert Ewert, Chetkowsky, N. Y., was fined \$10 and costs by Justice of the Peace F. E. Coulson, York Springs, on a charge of speeding 70 miles an hour, according to state police of the Gettysburg station, who filed the charge.

**Welfare Directors Will Hold Picnic**

Mrs. Charles L. Yost, of Biglerville, was appointed chairman of a nominating committee by the directors of the Child Welfare Services of Adams county at a special meeting of the directors Tuesday evening in the agency's offices in the Murphy building.

The committee will report at the next meeting of the directors which will be a picnic at Rev. A. W. Geigley's farm in Fairfield August 3.

The picnic committee includes: Mrs. George F. Eberhart, chairman, Mrs. Henry T. Bream and Mrs. Henrietta Blocher.

Eight directors attended Tuesday's meeting at which C. C. Culp presided. Two representatives from the state agency attended the session.

**Jack Perry Shows Open Here Monday**

The Jack J. Perry shows will open a week's engagement on the old fair grounds on West High street next Monday under the sponsorship of the Gettysburg baseball team. Coach Robert Harpster has announced.

The show carries 12 modern rides and eight new tented theatres. Heading the shows are the colored minstrels with 18 performers and a six-piece swing band. An animal show is also included.

A special kiddies' matinee is planned for Saturday, July 24, to which all school children will be admitted free to the grounds and all shows and rides will be offered at reduced prices.

## COMMISSIONERS AGREE TO HIRE CHILD WELFARE UNIT VISITOR

The Adams county commissioners today agreed to hire a visitor for the county Rural Child Welfare Services.

The decision was reached after members of the Child Welfare Advisory committee appeared before the commissioners for an hour-long session this morning to explain the work of Child Welfare and the need for an additional staff member in the local office.

A week ago the commissioners asked if it would be possible to continue the work with the secretary alone doing the visiting work, and urged that a trial be made to determine whether an additional worker was needed.

This morning the advisory committee members present, Rev. A. W. Geigley, Fairfield; Mrs. Willis Weigle, Biglerville; Mrs. George F. Eberhart, Gettysburg; Mrs. Guy Wenk, Wrensville; Mrs. David Blocher, Gettysburg, and Mrs. Charles Yost, Biglerville, were present to outline the many duties necessary in seeing that the approximately 110 children under the child welfare services receive proper care.

**Secretary Had Resigned**

"It is our duty to give these youngsters the best of care," the Rev. Mr. Geigley, who acted as temporary chairman of the advisory board group, pointed out, "and it is too much to ask one person to do all of the work involved. If only one person is on duty it means that some of the work will have to be left undone, and some of it will have to be slighted, which will be to the detriment of the youngsters in our care."

Miss Christine Cunningham, child welfare secretary, submitted her resignation orally last week when the commissioners sought to continue operating the service without a visitor for a test period.

The Rev. Mr. Geigley pointed out that Miss Cunningham had to submit her resignation when the proposal was made because she realized that it is impossible to do the job that must be done without two.

"While she realized that the request was honestly made, she knew

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## YW DIRECTORS TO JOIN CHEST

Following receipt of a report from its finance committee, members of the board of directors of the YWCA voted unanimously to join the Community Chest, at a special board meeting Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the "Y" building.

Mrs. Guyon E. Buehler, president, presided. Directors also discussed the disposition of a number of books at the "Y" building.

Mrs. Elsie Singmaster Lewars, president of the Adams County Free Library Association and Dr. Robert Fortenbaugh, a member of the Gettysburg college faculty and chairman of the museum committee of the Adams County Historical society, have selected a number of volumes for the special memorial library of the county association, for the historical society's files and for the college library.

A number of volumes remain at the "Y" and will be sold to any friend of the Danner family who may desire them, it was decided. The books may be inspected at the "Y" building.

**INJURES FINGER**

Charles Gardner, 28, York Springs, was treated at the Warner hospital recently for a laceration of his left index finger injured by a wheel of a hay bager.

**Man Is Burned, Car Is Destroyed**

One person was burned about the hands and face and an automobile was virtually destroyed late Monday when the car backed on to the Lincoln highway near Caledonia Manor. Franklin county firemen were unable to save the two-door sedan which was owned by Donald Brookins, of Fayetteville R. 1.

A man identified as Stewart Rock, who was riding in the back seat of the Brookins automobile, was burned before he could alight from the machine. He was treated at the office of Dr. Frank J. Corbett, Fayetteville.

**FACES CODE CHARGE**

A ten-day notice will be sent by Justice of the Peace John H. Baschore to Richard Paul Miller, Gettysburg R. 1, charging him with making a bad pass. Borough police, who filed the charge, alleged that Miller passed another vehicle at Chambersburg street and Springs avenue, at 6 p. m. July 12.



# CHRIST CHURCH

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former companions and neighbors. The traditional date is the first Saturday in August.

Harry E. Bair, superintendent of the Sunday school, has announced the following committees:

Band committee: Harold E. Shoemaker, chairman; Paul E. Berwager and Clair R. Markle; Supper committee: Harvey W. Schwartz, chairman; Joseph Bollinger, Harry C. Wildasin, Raymond Warner, Mrs. Erwin A. Rebert, Mrs. Ralph Unger, Mrs. Curvin Carbaugh, Mrs. Roy Sterner, members of the King's Daughters and the Ladies' Bible classes; Sandwich committee: Geo. Koontz, chairman; and Miss Norma Miller's class; Stands: Ralph I. Unger, chairman; Russell Brown, Paul E. Berwager, John N. Sell, Amos Carbaugh, Gerald Sterner, John Stervig, Kenneth Olinger, Ivan Dutterer, Laverne Mummert, Irvin Strock, Alvin Gerrick, Bernard Dutterer and Earl Baker.

Ticket and Door committee: John Wisler, chairman; Mervin L. Myers, Robert Bankert, Erwin A. Rebert and Lewis E. Bair; Advertising: Harold E. Shoemaker and Orville C. Sentz; Chairs: George W. Berwager,

chairman; Earl Messinger and Theodore Bair; Serve Us committee: Mrs. Harry C. Wildasin, chairman; Mrs. Mervin L. Myers, Mrs. Laverne Mummert, Mrs. Paul Mummert, Mrs. David Markle and Mrs. George Wise; Recreation: Glenn Unger, chairman; Jean Markle, Evelyn Herr, Gladys Messinger, Richard Berwager, Jay A. Wildasin, Miriam Dutterer, Joyce Berwager, Francis Warner, Shirley Gerrick, Kenneth Berwager, Gary Mummert and Jean Spangler.

Water boys, J. M. Wildasin, chairman; Wilson J. Bair, Isalah J. Porry, Roy Sterner, Edgar Berwager, Herbert Dull, David Messinger and Harry E. Bair; parking, Ralph Snyder, chairman; and the members of Ivan Dutterer's class. The superintendent will be glad for volunteers to be added to any committees. The Rev. John C. Brumbach is the pastor of the church.

The Ever-Willing Sunday School class of St. John's Lutheran church, Mrs. Harry W. Badders, teacher, will meet tonight at the home of Mrs. Wilson Greene, 320 East King street.

## Vets To Elect

Mason and Dixon Memorial post No. 6854, VFW, will not meet tonight because of the carnival. The meeting will be held Tuesday, July 20, at 8 p. m. instead. Election of Home As-

sociation officers will be held at that meeting.

"For Better or Worse" was the topic of the Christian Endeavor meeting held Sunday evening in St. John's Lutheran church. It was discussed by Miss Eloise Yealy and the pastor, the Rev. Kenneth D. James. In connection with this discussion, the Rev. Mr. James discussed marriage and its importance.

The group decided to attend the vesper service next Sunday evening in a body. They will meet at the Yealy home, West King street, where the attendance will be taken. At 6:45 o'clock, they will have for Crouse Park where the union vesper service will be held. The group also decided to hold a wiener roast on Thursday, July 22, 7:30 p. m. on the parsonage lawn, when games will also be played. All members desiring to attend this wiener roast are requested to notify Miss Jean Yealy not later than Wednesday, July 21. The meeting closed with a hymn and the Christian Endeavor benediction.

Philadelphia, July 13 (AP)—Lawrence Barnes, 4, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Barnes of 2010 Riverside drive, New York, died yesterday in Nazareth hospital of injuries received last Friday when he was buried by falling rocks. The boy was playing in an open shed at the Monumental school camp, in nearby Bristol, Pa., where his mother is a nurse, when the rock slide buried him.

Delegates to the Democratic National convention in Philadelphia fill most seats and jam the aisles in the middle of the opening session of the conclave. Vacant seats were plentiful earlier.—(AP Wirephoto)

## DEMOCRATIC DROWNINGS

Tokyo, July 13 (AP)—Democracy, police say, is to blame for increased drownings at Tokyo beaches. Many deaths, police reported today, result because under their new democratic freedom, the swimmers ignore warning signs and police cautions.



Sen. Claude Pepper (right) gets a handshake from William Ritchie, chairman of the Nebraska State Central Committee, at Philadelphia after the Florida senator announced his candidacy for the Democratic party's Presidential nomination. Mrs. Pepper is in center.—(AP Wirephoto)

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1941 Buick Sedan, Black	
1941 Oldsmobile "66" Coach, Heater	
1941 Dodge 4-Dr. Sedan, Radio & Heater	
1941 Pontiac Torpedo 8 4-Dr. Sedan, Radio & Heater	
1941 Pontiac Sedan Coupe Streamliner, Heater	
1941 Pontiac Torpedo Coach, Radio & Heater	
1941 Plymouth De Luxe Coach, Heater	
1941 Mercury Convertible Coupe, Radio & Heater	
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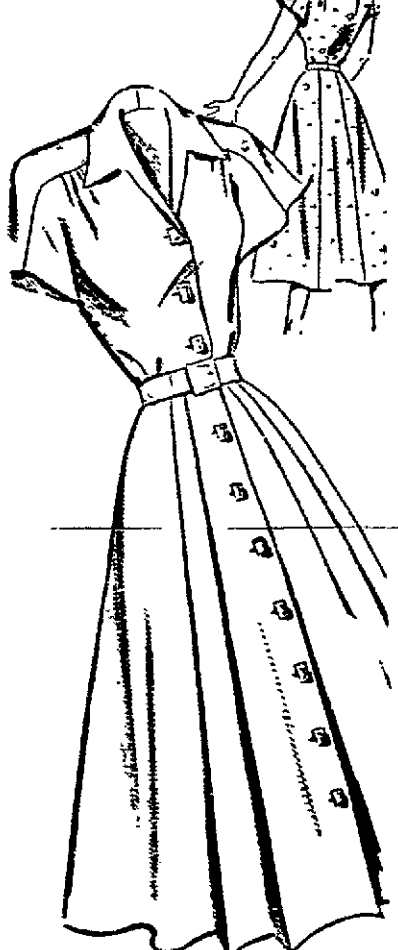
## ROY HAFFER, 66, FRUIT GROWER, ENDS HIS LIFE

Franklin county Coroner S. D. Shull Monday issued a certificate of suicide in the death of Roy Haffer, 66, prominent orchardist, whose body was found Saturday evening hanging in a shed of his South Mountain fruit farm on Fayetteville R. 1. The coroner said an inquest would not be held. Haffer had been under the care of a physician and was said to have worried about the state of his health.

The body was discovered by a neighbor boy, Stuart L. McCans, Jr.

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13, who is employed at the fruit farm during the summer.

### Prominent Grower

Haffer was a past president of the Franklin County Horticultural Society and was a director of the Pennsylvania State Horticultural Association for several years. At the time of his death he was an advisor on research at the Pennsylvania State College horticultural laboratory at Arendtsville. He is a director of the Chambersburg Fruit Cooperative Association, Inc., and was a member of Appalachian Apples, Inc., a co-operative organization formed to promote the sale of apples grown in the Appalachian belt.

Surviving are a son, Harry Haffer, of Fayetteville R. D. 1; a daughter, Mrs. Milton Horn, of Chambersburg; three brothers, Charles and Fred, both of Pittsburgh, and Russell, of Harrisburg, and a sister, Mrs. Austin Wildasin, of St. Petersburg, Fla.

Funeral services at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in the funeral home at Philadelphia avenue and Chambers street, Chambersburg, in charge of the Rev. Paul B. Lucas, pastor of the Second Lutheran church. Burial will be in Lincoln cemetery, Chambersburg.

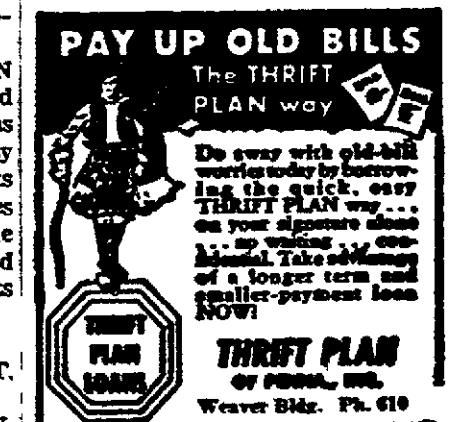
## Collection Of Dolls Will Be Displayed

One of the country's largest collection of dolls will go on display July 14 through 18 at Allenberry, near Bolling Springs.

Numbered at 1,150, the dolls represent the United States, every European country, the lands of Asia and many South American countries. The dolls are of all sizes up to three feet, and are made of such fabric as corn husks, walnuts, spoons, lobster shells, corn cobs and leather. Some are valued up to \$75.00. Individual dolls are made up to represent famous women.

Another set is a collection of 30 dolls representing fashions from 1492 to 1939. Also included are a set of 25 nuns, about 19 inches tall, dressed in costumes representing different religious orders. A historical doll group features likenesses of King George VI of England, President and Mrs. Lincoln, Betsy Ross and Benjamin Franklin. Other sets include a literary group, Pennsylvania Dutch group and a set representing the family of Anna Hoyer, of New Oxford, owner of the large collection.

The exhibit is being sponsored by the Beta Sigma Phi sorority of Carlisle.



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# AMERICAN LOOP ALL STARS COP 11TH DECISION

By JOE REICHLER

St. Louis, July 14 (AP)—Baseball fans are wondering today whether the mere sight of an American league uniform drains the power from the bats of the National league hitters or whether the senior circuit has simply developed a defeatist complex.

It may be a combination of both. Although the American leaguers went into the 15th annual all-star game yesterday with more bruises than one of Joe Louis' sparring partners it had a comparatively easy time knocking off its "cousins" for the 11th time in 15 meetings.

The score was 5-2. But for Stan Musial's first-inning two-run homer, the National leaguers would have suffered the added embarrassment of a shutout. Not that a shutout is something new for the National leaguers. They probably still haven't got over the 12-0 calomining they took back in 1946.

## Three Runs Per Game

As a matter of fact, the reputed National league powermen have scored only three runs in the last three losing games, all on home runs. Johnny Mize, big New York Giants first baseman, accounted for the Nationals' lone run last year with a Ruthian smash.

In 15 games, they have scored exactly 45 runs, or three per game. In yesterday's contest the Nationals amassed eight hits to six safeties for the winning American leaguers.

Of all their defeats, yesterday's probably was the hardest to take. With the exception of Eddie Stanky, Little Boston Braves' second baseman, and Shortstop Marty Marion of the St. Louis Cardinals, every member of the original 25-man squad was in splendid shape.

## A. L. Attack Weakened

In sharp contrast the American league outfit was riddled by injuries. The "heart" of the attack, Ted Williams, Joe DiMaggio and George Kell, was slowed up with injuries. The two "money" pitchers, Bob Feller and Hal Newhouser, were horsed out of combat, the former of his own free will.

In addition, the National league mound staff was well rested. With the exception of Lefty Naps, Johnny Schmitz, all had at least a four-day rest. On the other hand, six of the eight American league pitchers had worked last Sunday. The other two pitchers Saturday.

# BASEBALL

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Cleveland	45	28	.616	
Philadelphia	48	32	.600	½
New York	44	32	.579	2½
Boston	39	35	.527	6½
Detroit	39	37	.513	7½
Washington	34	42	.447	12½
St. Louis	28	45	.384	17
Chicago	23	49	.319	21½

## Today's Schedule

No games scheduled.  
Thursday's Games  
Chicago at Washington, night.  
Cleveland at Philadelphia, 2, twilight-night.  
St. Louis at New York, night.  
Detroit at Boston, 2, afternoon and night.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Boston	46	31	.597	
Pittsburgh	39	35	.527	5½
St. Louis	39	36	.520	6
New York	36	37	.493	8
Brooklyn	35	37	.486	8½
Cincinnati	37	40	.481	9
Philadelphia	36	42	.462	10½
Chicago	33	43	.434	12½

## Today's Schedule

No games scheduled.  
Thursday's Games  
New York at Pittsburgh.  
Brooklyn at Cincinnati, night.  
Boston at Chicago.  
Philadelphia at St. Louis, night.

## MINOR LEAGUE

International League  
Toronto, 5; Montreal, 2.  
Other Games postponed.  
American Association  
Milwaukee, 9; Columbus, 2.  
St. Paul, 5; Toledo, 0.  
Minneapolis, 6; Indianapolis, 1.  
Louisville, 11; Kansas City, 2, 10 innings.

# Prospective Grid Officials Face Test

Harrisburg, July 14 (AP)—Prospective football officials must file applications for examinations by August 20, the Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic association said today.

The association said the examinations will be held at the various centers around the state on September 9. Applicants who miss this examination must wait another year under PIAA regulations to again take the examination.

The PIAA said this year's examination will be based upon the new edition of the National Federation Football code, extensively revised recently.

Reports have been received from several sections of the state, the PIAA said, of a scarcity of football officials due to retirement of old-time officials.

The first national party convention in the United States was held in 1832.

# Mack Renews Opinion Sox Are Contenders

Harrisburg, July 14 (AP)—Connie Mack renewed a prediction today.

The manager of the Philadelphia Athletics still thinks the Boston Red Sox are one of the teams to beat for the American league pennant.

"I said at the start of the season that I thought Boston would win the pennant, largely due to players they purchased from the St. Louis Browns. I still think Boston is one of the teams to beat."

Speaking at Harrisburg where his team played and won an exhibition game from the Interstate league Harrisburg Senators last night, Mack said he fully expects his A's to make a fight for the American league pennant. He confided his biggest problem now is "beating the Cleveland club."

"They have beaten us eight of 11 times and I still don't know how they win them."

# Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.

New York, July 14 (AP)—Gossip in front of the television receivers in Detroit says that if the Tigers should decide for any reason to dispense with Steve O'Neill's services, Doc Cramer is in line for the manager's job. . . . But nobody really is after general Steve's scalp. They know he can't hit for the club. . . . And there's considerable talk around New Orleans about the destination of John Pettibon, Jesuit high school football and track man who is rated one of the south's best athletes. He was supposed to be tabbed for Notre Dame, but the story is that he may turn up at Louisiana State. . . . If the "syndicate" which took Beau Jack from a caddy's job at Augusta, Ga., and made him a lightweight champ still has anything to say about Beau's affairs, it should say: "get out and stay out."

## FOWL PLAY

Dayton Dean, former baseball star and business manager of athletics at Duke U., resigned in 1947 to start a chicken ranch. . . . Now, when it comes time to distribute football tickets, Dean can get a big laugh. . . . When there's too much squawking about the Dean place now, it's the chicken that gets it in the neck—not the business manager.

## MINOR CHORDS

When the Leaksville, N. C., franchise in the Blue Ridge league was forfeited after that bribery scandal, the club was leading the league. . . . The players were transferred to Abingdon, Va., where a new franchise was issued. . . . The team promptly lost 22 out of 23 games, including one forfeit when it went to the wrong town to play. . . . The Wells-ville, N. Y., club of the Pony league recently pulled a triple play for the books—one that was completed by mistake. . . . Wellsville completed a double play against Olean and the players started in, thinking the inning was over. . . . The Olean runner on first broke for second, but first baseman Joe Fromuth was wide awake enough to pick up the ball and catch the guy going into second. . . . When some Indianapolis gals picked an "all-handsome" team of American Association players, the A.A. publicity dept. headed the item, amusingly if ungrammatically, "Who'd Most Rather Be Stranded On Second Base With."

# Bob Badorf Takes Third Golf Title

Lancaster, Pa., July 14 (AP)—Eighteen-year-old Bob Badorf held his third 1948 golf title today.  
Badorf yesterday added the Pennsylvania Chamber of Commerce links crown to his Philadelphia district junior title and Berks county diadem.

The youngster fired a blistering three under par 67 and a 139 for the 36 hole medal play tourney. He paced seven below par scores in qualifying for the National Jaycee tournament at Lincoln, Neb., August 3-7.

Other qualifiers were Bob Reilly, 17, Pittsburgh, and Tom Klett, 18, Wilkes-Barre, both with 142's; Tim Holland, Allentown, 145; Jim Dickinson, Allentown, 146; Jim Finnegan, Chester, 147, and Skip Kilrea, Hershey, 149. Kilrea defeated Jack Weltel, 1948 PIAA state champion from Wilson township in a playoff for the final qualifying spot.

# Interstate League

(By The Associated Press)  
Trenton gained a half game on Wilmington in the Interstate League last night defeating Sunbury 4 to 2. The Giants capitalized on three Sunbury errors and Don Robertson's seven hit pitching to creep within one game of the idle league leaders.

York ended a six game losing streak in the loop's only other game as Jim Mims pitched and batted the White Roses to a 3 to 2 win over Lancaster.

Hagerstown and Allentown were rained out while the Harrisburg Senators dropped a 7 to 2 exhibition decision to the Philadelphia Athletics of the American League.

Today's schedule: Hagerstown at Allentown (two games), Wilmington at Harrisburg (two games), Trenton at Sunbury and Lancaster at York.

Syracuse's boxers have won 39 individual intercollegiate championships in the eastern association.

# ADAMS COUNTY LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
Orrtanna	12	4	.750
Hanover	13	6	.684
New Oxford	12	7	.632
Littlestown	9	7	.563
McSherrystown	10	8	.556
Bendersville	10	9	.527
York Springs	7	9	.437
Gettysburg	6	11	.353
Fairfield	5	12	.294
Emmitsburg	3	14	.176

Tuesday's Score  
Hanover, 3; Fairfield, 0.  
Other games postponed.

Thursday's Game  
Gettysburg at Orrtanna, 6:15 p.m.

Saturday's Games  
Orrtanna at Gettysburg.  
Bendersville at York Springs.  
Fairfield at McSherrystown.  
Emmitsburg at Littlestown.  
Hanover at New Oxford.

Only one of four scheduled Adams County Baseball league games was played Tuesday evening, rain storms washing out three other tilts.

In the lone game played Hanover blanked Fairfield 3-0 at Hanover and as a result moved into second place, having beaten New Oxford 7-0 Monday. Rain halted play at the end of six frames.

Crouse and Shriner divided the pitching for Fairfield while Hoover pitched for the winners.

A rain storm probably saved the Gettysburg Legionnaires from receiving a lacing at the hands of Littlestown on the high school field as the visitors held an eight-run margin of 10-2 at the end of the fourth inning when the game was called. George Kitzmiller pitched the first three innings for Gettysburg with Bill Bushman twirling the fourth.

McSherrystown led the league-leading Orrtanna nine 3-2 in the game at Orrtanna when a downpour halted hostilities after three frames. McSherrystown had scored a run in the second inning and two in the third. Orrtanna's tallies came in the third inning. Murren and G. Wagner formed the battery for McSherrystown with C. Rebert and J. Wetzel working for Orrtanna.

York Springs and Emmitsburg failed to get their game started at Emmitsburg before the arrival of a storm.

# Sport Shorts

New York, July 14 (AP)—Johnny Antonelli, \$55,000 bonus pitcher of the Boston Braves, has demonstrated that he is ready for a starting assignment in regular National League competition.

The 18-year-old lefthander, signed personally by owner Lou Perini in Rochester, N. Y., June 22, pitched the Braves to a 5-0 three-hit victory over the Milwaukee Brewers of the American Association at Milwaukee last night.

Saratoga Springs, N. Y., July 14 (AP)—Three Hambletonian candidates, including a leading contender, are scheduled to race tonight in the Grand Circuit meet at Saratoga raceway.

Demon Hanover, favored by many for Goshen's \$60,000 Hambletonian, and two of his major rivals, Judge Moore and Jeff Hanover, are entered in the \$5,000 Adirondack for three-year-old trotters. It will be raced in two elimination dashes and a final.

Lexington, Ky., July 14 (AP)—Linda Gray, a five gaited mare purchased by Carl Pieper of Butler, Pa., brought \$1,700 to top yesterday's sales of saddle horses at Tattersalls. The mare was consigned by John McCracklin of Mansfield, La.

# Fights Last Night

(By The Associated Press)  
Chicago—George "Sonny" Horne, 160½, Niles, Ohio, outpointed Anton Radak, 161, Estonia, 10.

Los Angeles—Len Morrow, 177, Oakland, knocked out Fitz Fitzpatrick, 175, Los Angeles, 5.

Spokane—Freddie Beshore, 191, El Monte, Calif., outpointed Bobby Zander, 201, Los Angeles, 10.

# Set Up Body To Ready U. S. Plants

Washington, July 14 (AP)—An organization to take over idle defense plants and get them ready for action has been set up by the Public Buildings Administration.

PBA officials said that the first of these plants likely to come under control include an establishment at Meadville, Pa. Expected to be transferred later are plants at Erie, Crum Lyn, Chester Springs, Lebanon, Coraopolis, Eddystone, Chester, and Duval all in Pennsylvania.

# EXHIBITION BASEBALL

Philadelphia (N. 6; Utica (Eastern), 3.  
St. Louis (A), 24; Gloversville (Canadian-American), 11.  
Boston (N), 5; Milwaukee (American Association), 0.  
Philadelphia (A), 7; Harrisburg (Interstate), 2.

# DIES AFTER SON

Seattle, July 14 (AP)—The mother of the late Secretary of Labor Lewis B. Schwellenbach, who was stricken shortly after he died, followed him in death yesterday. Mrs. Martha Schwellenbach suffered a cerebral hemorrhage a few days after her son's funeral a month ago. She had been semi-conscious since then.

# Track Meet Thursday For Local Children

A dual track meet, one for youngsters of 12 years or less and the other for those from 13 to 18 years, will be under the Gettysburg Recreation association's direction on the high school field Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Winners of several events will participate in the Play Day events at Columbia, Pa., on Thursday, July 22.

Events for both meets will include the following: 50, 100 and 440-yard runs, 440-yard relay, high jump, running and standing broad jumps, baseball and softball throws, basketball foul shooting.

# U. S. OLYMPIC TEAMS ARE OFF

New York, July 14 (AP)—U. S. Olympic teams in a star-spangled party of 304 athletes, coaches and managers shove off today for the games of the first post-war Olympiad in London, July 29-August 14. They sail at 3 p. m. (EST) on the U. S. Liner America under the five-ring Olympic flag hoisted amidships in ceremonies similar to those which sent off the last pre-war Olympic contingent to Berlin in 1936.

This boatload of talent—ranging in character from experts in foot-racing to weight-lifting, from fancy diving to pistol marksmanship—represents 16 of the 21 American Olympic teams.

The other six U. S. teams are either already overseas, are going by air, or are leaving on the British Liner Queen Elizabeth tomorrow.

Among the last scheduled to go aboard were the 65 male track and field performers. They were called to Randall's Island stadium for a light final workout on American soil in the forenoon under the eyes of their nine coaches and managers.

At the head of the whole American setup was Avery Brundage of Chicago, the veteran sashem of U. S. amateur sports.

# DEADLOCK ON STRIKE THREAT

Harrisburg, July 14 (AP)—Both company and union officials remained deadlocked today in their efforts to avert a strike of the Valley Transportation company employees scheduled to begin Friday at midnight.

The strike was announced yesterday by O. S. Taylor, business agent for Local 1377, American Association of Street, Electric Railways and Motor Coach Employees of America (AFL).

Company officials immediately renewed a previous request for a six month extension of the present union contract to November 30, to test out a new rate increase recently granted by the Public Utility commission.

"The company believes it must have at least six months' experience with this tariff before it can commit itself to an increase in costs," said State Sen. John J. Snowden, of Williamsport, principal owner of the company.

The union had turned down the company's former request for an extension of the contract, and informed last night of the latest request, Taylor said, "That's all very well, but the wage discussions are open now."

Taylor said the union is seeking an increase of 30 cents an hour, bringing the hourly rate for bus drivers and maintenance men to \$1.50 an hour. About 100 bus drivers and maintenance men are employed by the company.

The company provides services between Harrisburg and suburban points along the west shore of the Susquehanna river. Another firm provides bus service within the state capital.

# Eastern League

(By The Associated Press)  
The Utica Blue Sox and the Albany Senators open a three-day battle tonight for the Eastern Baseball league's second place, with the Sox a little weary.

The Sox, only members of the league to play last night, suffered a 6-3 loss to their parent club, the Philadelphia Phillies in an exhibition game. Rain postponed Albany at Binghamton, Elmira at Scranton and Wilkes-Barre at Williamsport.

Harrisburg, July 14 (AP)—A union official said today employees of the Valley Transportation company, providing bus service between Harrisburg and West Shore suburbs authorized a strike, starting Friday midnight in a dispute over wages.

The announcement was made by O. S. Taylor, business agent for Local 1377, American Association of Street, Electric Railways and Motor Coach Employees of America (AFL).

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Mrs. India Edwards, executive director of the women's division at the Democratic National convention at Philadelphia, waves a steak—one of several props she used—as she tells delegates to convention that the Republicans are to blame for sky high prices.—(AP Wirephoto)

# Togliatti

(Continued from Page 1)

tion adopted by the ministers said the attack aroused "the horror and indignation of all Italians" and expressed the government's hope he would live.

The assassination attempt came at the height of the Italian left's renewed drive to upset De Gasperi's predominantly Christian Democrat government from which the Communists had been excluded.

Bitter Against U. S.  
Togliatti had been vitriolic in recent criticism of De Gasperi's alleged "enslavement" to the Vatican and the United States.

De Gasperi's concern over Togliatti was most apparent. He followed Togliatti's ambulance to the hospital and visited him in the operating room.

An official of Catholic action, the lay group which observers credited with a major role in the Christian Democrat victory in the April elections, denied that Togliatti's attacker belonged to it.

"It is the act of a madman," the official said.

The attack on Togliatti came while the chamber was debating the government's bill to strengthen its drive to collect unlicensed arms—a bill the Communists have bitterly assailed.

Togliatti walked out of the cham-

ber with a woman deputy to get some ice cream. He tried to protect himself from the bullets with his brief case, then crumpled to the ground.

He retained consciousness for a time. Persons close to him said he asked whether his brief case was safe, then inquired: "Did they arrest the man?"

Togliatti's assailant came to Rome only four days ago from Sicily. The landlady at his rooming house said he appeared to be a "tranquil youth," whom she saw only at night.

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# 24 'FRESH AIR'

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Mrs. Guy Wenk, Bendersville, three Protestant girls; Mrs. J. Walter Coleman, a Catholic girl; Mrs. Alfred Karrasch, Gettysburg R. 5, a Protestant boy; Mrs. Ward Taylor, Bendersville, two Protestant girls; Mrs. Charles E. Clapsaddle, Fairfield, a Catholic boy and a Catholic girl; Mrs. Wilbur Plank, 123 Springs avenue, a Protestant boy.

Those scheduled to be hostesses in August include Mrs. Louise Hoffman, Gettysburg R. 5, who will have the same two boys, Robert Whelan and Carlos Garret, who visited her home last year returning July 30; Mrs. L. P. Kookan, Gettysburg R. 4, who has asked Rose Stipes to return, starting August 9; Mrs. Robert Derck, 43 East Broadway, who has asked for a Catholic girl starting August 21 and Mrs. Hare, Gettysburg R. 2, who will have the same boy who visited her family last year return for the month of August.

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# Gottier To Drive Friday At Grove

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at Williams Grove

Little Artie Gottier, Pennsylvania's own midjet auto racing star from West Chester, has filed his entry for the midjet auto racing program to be staged on Friday night on the half-mile Williams Grove Speedway.

Driving a fleet and fast Offenhauser, Gottier established a new midjet track record for time trials last Friday night. His time was 26.87 seconds, lowering the track record for small cars which stood since 1941 when the late Tony Williams, the Flying Dutchman from Milwaukee, established the record at 27.06 seconds.



STEEL PRICES TO BE HIGHER THAN EXPECTED

New York, July 14 (AP)—Price increases are to be announced by steel companies "will be substantial—much larger than at first thought," The Iron Age, metalworking trade weekly, said today.

Widest advances may be posted by U. S. Steel, which the publication said initiated the ill-fated anti-inflation drive by cutting prices "deeper and on a wider variety of products than most other large companies."

"They may raise the ante as much as a half cent a pound or \$10 a ton," it added.

Describing this as a "Red Letter Week," The Iron Age said: "The workers will get a 'good' raise in pay with a security package. The steel customers will get the biggest bump in prices seen in years. But this time the steel industry trails the parade in the third round of wages and prices."

**Confusing Period**

Even with the new price advances, the weekly commented, the steel industry will not have matched increases made by other industries.

"When prices are announced by a few companies this week and by more next week," it said, "the steel trade will find itself in one of the most confusing periods in steel history. Not only will mill prices be established at most every point of production, but each of these new points will be accompanied by a new and substantially higher price than heretofore. It will take the well known Philadelphia lawyer to figure all this out."

In addition to restoring price cuts, said The Iron Age, new steel quotations will take care of:

"(1) Coal wage hike which some say will mean \$1.25 and more a ton on finished steel;

**Other Items**

"(2) The steel wage increase that might be as much as 16 cents, which would include the straight increase per hour plus insurance, etc.

"(3) Increase in cost of items sold to the steel industry which are now on an F.O.B. mill basis and thus include freight formerly paid by the producer, and

"(4) Accumulation of freight increases paid by the steel industry on raw materials which were not covered in previous price increases."

Reflecting an increase at Chicago, the publication said, The Iron Age scrap composite rose 9 cents a gross ton to \$41. Iron advances will follow, it added. The ingot rate this week was placed at 92 per cent.

WILLS FILED IN TWO ESTATES

Estates of two late residents of the Emmitsburg district will be distributed according to terms of the wills of Luther H. Keilholz and Mrs. Rose E. Linge, both of which were admitted to probate Monday by the Orphans' Court in Frederick. No valuations were filed in the estates but both are considered substantial.

Four children, who share equally in the estate, qualified as executors in the Keilholz estate. They are Carroll C. George D. Ruth M., and Harry F. Keilholz. They are directed to convert the estate, including a valuable farm, into cash and divide the proceeds. The will was dated January 22, 1945.

By her will, dated October 16, 1947, Mrs. Linge provides \$200 for St. Anthony's Catholic church for masses. A property on the south side of East Main street in Emmitsburg is devised to Howard V. Tull and her farm property at Dry Bridge, containing 25 acres of land and known as the "Home-place," is left to John H. McGraw.

Cash bequests include: \$500 to a nephew, Clarence V. Linge; \$200 to a niece, Mabel Linge; \$200 to another niece, Lillian Gelwicks, and \$200 to another niece, Edna Saylor.

Specific bequests include: a cedar chest to Howard V. Tull; another cedar chest to John H. McGraw, and a piano to Clara Linge, a daughter of Clarence Linge.

Remainder of the estate is to be divided equally among Carrie Rodgers, Rose Rosensteel, Lillian Gelwicks and Edna Saylor. Mr. Tull was named executor.

State Teachers To Ask Another Raise

Harrisburg, July 14 (AP)—Organized school teachers of Pennsylvania indicated today that the 1949 Legislature would be asked to grant them another increase in salaries because of rising living costs. The issue was one of the most controversial of the 1947 session.

Harvey E. Gayman executive secretary of the Pennsylvania State Education Association said the amount of the boost will be decided by the association's legislative committee. The association claims a membership of 59,000 teachers.

"It would seem obvious, though, that teachers' salaries have not kept pace with the increased cost of living," Gayman said.

The 1947 Legislature, after a session-long battle, ordered school districts to pay minimum salaries ranging from \$1,950 to \$3,200, depending on the extent of training. The PSEA at that time asked for a scale ranging from \$2,400 to \$4,800.

Social Happenings

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**The Misses Barbara Oyler, Lorraine Rohrbach, Dorothy Shetter and Doris Smith** have returned from a week's vacation spent in Ocean City, N. J.

**Miss Peggy Ann Smith, Chambersburg street, and her cousin, Miss Elizabeth Fogle, Towson, Md.,** have returned from a week's vacation at Crossville and Nashville, Tenn.

**DeSalles Kennedy, chairman of the Academy of Friendship, and Clara Wenzel, grand regent of Pittsburg chapter 1, are guests of the regular meeting of the Women of the Moose Tuesday evening.** Catherine Shealer, senior regent, presided.

**Miss Mary Pat Smith has returned to her home in Harrisburg after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith, Chambersburg street.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swisher and daughter, Barbara, McKnightstown,** spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Engle, Hanover, at their cottage at Conewago creek, near East Berlin. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. L. G. McClain, near Gettysburg.

**Mr. and Mrs. N. Hoke Fowler, Airville,** are spending several days with Mr. Fowler's mother, Mrs. Floriana Fowler, West High street.

**Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Kilalea, Gettysburg R. D.,** have as guests Mrs. Clifford A. Bender and daughter, Mary Ellen, of Leonia, N. J.

**Mrs. S. J. Poppa, who entertained the members of the Southlittlet club Tuesday evening at her home on Seminary avenue,** had as additional guests Mrs. H. E. Hemmingsway and Mrs. James R. Oyler. Meetings of the club are being discontinued until September when Mrs. Edward Stine will be the hostess for the opening meeting.

**Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Crouse and daughter, Susan, Emmitsburg,** spent the week-end visiting Mr. Crouse's brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Lamberts, Marlton, N. J.

**A meeting of members of the Hostess and Hospitality committee of the Gettysburg Woman's club** will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the YWCA at which time hostesses will be arranged for the meetings during the coming year. All members are asked to attend and to bring their 1947-1948 club programs. Mrs. G. W. Lefever is chairman of the committee.

**The Misses Bess and Myrtle Shriver and Miss Margaret Stauffer, East Middle street,** are spending a few days at State College as guests of Prof. Harry P. Bolich, a member of the English department of Gettysburg college.

**Dr. and Mrs. Frank H. Kramer** had as guests this week at their home on West Broadway Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fliegau, Jersey City; Joseph Weiss, Bradley Beach, N. J., and Herman Haas, Ocean Grove, N. J.

**The Women's Bible class of Christ Lutheran Sunday school** will hold a picnic meeting Thursday evening at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Rex, Oak Ridge.

**Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Spicer, Gettysburg R. 4,** had as guests this week Miss Roberta Austin, Miss Mary Gordon Austin, Miss Jennie Clyde Worth, Miss Clarence Oliver and Miss Louise Miller, who were en route from a trip through the New England states to their homes in Jefferson, N. C. They were accompanied home by Miss Sara Spicer who will remain for a visit.

**The Soroptimist club will hold a picnic-meeting Wednesday, July 21, at 6:30 p. m. at the cottage of Mrs. Samuel H. Higinbotham at Marsh creek.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. A. Hanson, Jr., and daughter, Elizabeth,** have returned to their home in Harrisburg after spending a week with Mr. Hanson's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Henry W. A. Hanson, at their cottage at Caledonia.

**Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Staymen, Germantown,** have concluded a visit with their uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. Harry P. Baughman, Springs avenue.

**Mr. John W. Moser and Mrs. Rosensteel, East Stevens street,** spent the day in Baltimore.

**Miss Sara Spicer, Gettysburg R. 4,** who was graduated from Hood college, Frederick, last spring, will enter Shady Side Hospital, Pittsburgh, in the fall to take advanced work in dietetics.

**Berlin, July 14 (AP)—**The Americans came up with two counter measures Tuesday to the protracted Russian blockade of Berlin. They assigned more transports to the air lift into the city and went to work expanding the facilities of Templehof airfield.

**Meanwhile, the British were reported sending fresh ground troops into Germany, with many said to be slated for Berlin duty.** The report was officially denied in London, however.

**Life isn't a one-way treat.**

Engagements

**Blahusch-McGovern**

Mr. and Mrs. John McGovern, Harrisburg, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Kathleen McGovern, to Gilbert J. Blahusch, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Blahusch, Harrisburg.

Miss McGovern is a graduate of Catholic high school and the Sacred Heart Hospital School of Nursing, Allentown. She is a member of the obstetrical nursing staff at Harrisburg hospital.

Her fiancé was graduated from Coal Township high school, Shamokin, and is attending Mt. St. Mary's college, Emmitsburg. He served three years with the armed forces.

**Myers-Weikert**

Mr. and Mrs. Paul I. Weikert, York, formerly of McKnightstown, announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy J., to Millard E. Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael D. Myers, Thomasville.

DEATH

**Bury John Shindledacker**

Funeral services for John W. Shindledacker, 72, Charman, who died Friday evening at the Waynesboro hospital, were held from the Bethel church, Highfield, Md., Tuesday afternoon conducted by the Rev. Clarence McGaha. Interment in the church cemetery.

The pallbearers were Charles Frey, Charles Hardman, William Eversole, John Brown, Emory Muth and Alfred Nichols, all members of the Junior Order of American Mechanics who conducted graveside services.

Dem. Convention TALK MARATHON GETS UNDERWAY

By REILMAN MORIN

Convention Hall, Philadelphia, July 14 (AP)—The Democrats started an oratorical marathon today—a continuous day-and-night session that was scheduled to go, unbroken, until the business of the party was finished.

There was a premium on endurance, stamina, resistance to heat and hard wooden seats.

They have been told that no recess will be called, and that the whole agenda must be completed. That includes a number of left-over speeches, the nomination of a candidate for the presidency, for the vice-presidency, and the presentation and adoption of the platform.

So they began arriving around 10 a. m. (EST) with an attitude of stolid, see-it-through-somehow patience.

President Truman is scheduled to get the nomination as soon as a vote is taken. In Washington, the White House said he will come up and accept tonight unless the proceedings run too late. In that case, he probably will come tomorrow.

The seriousness of the impending business—especially the expected floor fight on the platform—put a stamp on the crowd. They were a little more prompt than in the earlier sessions, and they went to their seats with much less milling in the aisles and casual chatting than on the other days.

**GOES TO JAIL HE HELPED TO FILL**

Newark, N. J., July 14 (AP)—A dapper, 38-year-old police judge who admitted he had embezzled more than half a million dollars took his place today in the county jail alongside some 40 men he himself had sentenced there previously.

Unshaven but still attired neatly in some choice selections from his 400-tie, 15-suit wardrobe, Judge P. James Pellicchia, Jr., was assigned to a cell in the Newark Street jail pending a hearing Friday on his possible release on bail.

Pellicchia, named recently by a haberdashers' trade organization as "the nation's best dressed jurist," pleaded guilty yesterday to 20 charges of embezzlement in a hastily summoned hearing before Common Pleas Judge Philip Hartshorne.

State banking commissioner John J. Dickerson said Pellicchia admitted taking \$600,000 from the Columbus Trust Co., of which he was a vice president and counsel. His father, Pellegrino Pellicchia, 72, is chairman of the bank's board of directors.

The judge was quoted as saying he had rigged up a series of fictitious mortgages to obtain the funds in order to cover his losses in horse race bets. State Attorney General Walter D. Van Riper said Pellicchia told him it was "nothing to lose \$5,000 or \$6,000 a week on the horses."

A pretty brunette ex-Police girl to whom Pellicchia formerly was engaged for seven years said she would stand by him.

**RIFE RITES THURSDAY**

Funeral services for Mrs. Pauline Rife, Hanover, sister of Mrs. Ruth C. Melgakes, East Middle street, who

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votes from Arkansas, South Carolina, Mississippi and Texas.

**Pepper Withdraws**

Senator Claude Pepper of Florida ended a 48-hour excursion into the Elysian fields of the presidential race with the observation that Democrats were watching their party go to pieces before their eyes.

Pepper, who dramatically tossed his hat into the ring on Sunday, jerked it back out late yesterday without further explanation. He promised to support the convention's choice.

Besides Laney, however, there was at least one other favorite Dixie son. Georgia pledged its 28-vote delegation to Senator Richard Russell.

A 22-vote Mississippi delegation, seated after a short flareup during last night's session, seemed likely to go solidly for Laney.

But the fire of the thin, grey line of southerners was scattered and, by all counts, likely to be entirely ineffective.

**Old Running-Mate**

After all, the rebels had won a major concession in President Truman's reportedly reluctant acceptance of the aging Barkley in a battle that will pitch two older men against two younger Republican nominees.

Mr. Truman is 64. His opponent, Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York, is 48. Against Barkley's 70, in second place on the ticket, is California's Gov. Earl Warren's 57.

Whatever his effect will be on the November election, Barkley's expected selection did a lot to cool off the southern rebellion.

Gov. J. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina, once mentioned as a possible Vice Presidential candidate in the anti-Truman revolt, conceded to a reporter that "a lot of edge has been taken off of the movement."

A. F. Whitney, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, teed off on the Taft-Hartley act in an address prepared for convention delivery today.

**Wants Act Repealed**

Whitney, who once said his union would spend millions to prevent President Truman's election but who later recanted, was the only organized labor leader scheduled to talk to the delegates.

He told them bluntly: "Labor demands the immediate repeal of the Taft-Hartley law."

Senator Scott Lucas of Illinois said in another prepared address that the record of some Republican senators is "so bad they ought to be replaced by Democrats. Lucas, who heads the Democratic 'senatorial' campaign committee, fixed the number of replacements he wants at 18. The Republicans now hold a 51 to 45 edge over the Democrats in the Senate.

Homer Cummings, former attorney general, said it isn't possible to "visualize Mr. Dewey as wearing the mantle of Franklin D. Roosevelt."

Cummings said Mr. Truman has carried on "with high courage and unflinching loyalty" the policies laid down by Franklin D. Roosevelt and Woodrow Wilson.

**Helen Douglas Talks**

Rayburn, who took over the gavel from Barkley, beat the drums against Congress at last night's session.

Rep. Helen Gahagan Douglas of California, gown in green with a contrasting brown pancake makeup for television, accused the Republicans of having "danced on the grave of a dead President" in their nominating convention here three weeks ago.

Rep. Mary T. Norton of New Jersey called upon women not to believe Republican promises to do things the GOP-controlled 80th Congress left undone.

**BITTEN BY SNAKE**

Harrisburg, July 14 (AP)—A two-year old boy, Robert Heckert of nearby Beckton was reported in a critical condition today in a hospital from a snake bite. The child was bitten yesterday on a finger while playing near his home. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Heckert, reported they did not know the type of snake, which bit the child.

**CONVENTION ENDS**

Pittsburgh, July 14 (AP)—The three-day convention of the 42nd Rainbow Division Veterans' association ends tonight with nearly 1,000 members attending memorial services for those who died in the past year. Election of officers was scheduled for the final business session today.

**"IN GREAT SHAPE"**

New York, July 14 (AP)—Governor Thomas E. Dewey is in "great shape," his physician says. The Republican Presidential candidate received a routine semi-annual physical check-up yesterday afternoon.

Upper Communities

Thirty-four members and one guest attended the meeting of the Upper County Lions club held Tuesday evening at Woodlawn park, Lincolnway west. Cyrus G. Bucher, vice president, presided. Dr. Waybright R. Thomas was admitted to membership making a total membership of 63 for the club.

Prof. L. V. Stock gave a detailed report of the convention of the National Education association held at Cleveland. Others who attended the convention were Arthur Gordon, Clyde McCauslin and C. P. Keefer.

Arrangements for Tuesday's meeting were made by the Citizenship and Patriotism committee, members of which include Elmer Yoder, Oscar C. Rice, Sr., and Alfred Bagley.

The next meeting will be held in the form of a family picnic at Williams Grove on August 10. Harry Gelselman is serving as chairman of the committee on arrangements.

**Routine business was transacted** at a meeting of the Biglerville borough council Tuesday evening.

**Mrs. Clinton Deardorff, of San Fernando Valley, Cal.;** her daughter, Mrs. Betty Spreng, and her daughter, "Jackie," of Oakland, Cal., are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Burnier, and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Deardorff, of Aspers. Mr. Deardorff, accompanied by his sister-in-law, Mrs. Clinton Deardorff, Mrs. Spreng and her daughter, left Tuesday to spend several days in Washington, D. C.

**A special meeting of the joint** consistory of the Arentsville Evangelical and Reformed church will be held Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the parish house of the Arentsville church.

**Mr. and Mrs. Charles Myers** entertained at dinner recently at their home in Biglerville Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilkinson and family, of Harrisburg, who were spending some time with Mrs. Wilkinson's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dale F. Lawver and family, of Biglerville, who also were guests at the dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson are moving from Harrisburg to Chicago, Illinois, where they will make their future home.

**Mrs. Ellis Campbell and son, Robert, of Norristown,** are spending some time with Mrs. Campbell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Deardorff, Biglerville R. D. Mr. Campbell has returned home after spending the week-end with the Deardorffs. Mrs. Elizabeth Logan, of Boiling Springs, was a week-end guest in the home and Miss Delores Deardorff, of Baltimore, and is spending some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Deardorff.

**Nevin R. Frantz, Jr., of Arentsville,** is spending the week at Camp Michaux, at Pine Grove, as a member of the Junior camp of the Evangelical and Reformed church.

**Miss Phyllis Peters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Peters, of Aspers,** who was graduated from Pennsylvania State college this spring, has accepted a position with the Harrisburg Gas company, the duties of which she will assume on Monday.

**Mrs. N. C. Dainty, of Harrisburg,** is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Hoffman, of Arentsville.

**Mrs. Rufus Roth and daughter, Miss Marvel Roth, of Biglerville,** were visitors in York Tuesday.

**Mrs. Harry Heller, of Biglerville,** accompanied by her son, Clark Heller, visited her husband who is a patient at Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, on Monday.

**Mrs. Nevin R. Frantz, of Arentsville** is attending the summer session of the Women's Guild of the Evangelical and Reformed church which is being held at Hood college, Frederick, today. Thursday and Friday. Mrs. Frantz is a delegate from the Mercersburg synod of the church.

**Miss Linda Roth, of Godyear,** spent Tuesday night and today with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ecker, of Biglerville.

**Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dehoff and daughter, Beatrice, and son, Burleigh, of Biglerville, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dehoff, Sr., of Littlestown,** have returned from Ocean City, Maryland, where they spent a few days.

**Mrs. Leora B. Frantz, of Lancaster,** is spending some time in the home of her son and daughter-in-law, the Rev. and Mrs. Nevin R. Frantz, of Arentsville.

**Mr. and Mrs. John W. Deardorff, Jr., and daughter, Dottie Jean, of Carlisle road,** spent the week-end in Baltimore, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Lewis.

**Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Weddle, Woodboro, Md., and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gory and daughter, Rommy, of Emmitsburg,** were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. James White and family, Biglerville R. D.

**Mr. and Mrs. Robert White, who were united in marriage last Saturday,** were serenaded Monday evening. They are in housekeeping at McKnightstown.

**The total amount of life insurance** owned in United States companies at the end of 1946 was \$56,758, 968, 000 larger than at the end of 1940.

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linear feet, and contour strip-cropping was established on 370 acres with the payments being \$2.50 per acre.

**Built 17 Dams**

For sod waterways, which are necessary under certain conditions for controlling erosion, the program provided 75 cents per 1,000 square feet, 3,400 square feet of sod waterways were established.

One farmer took advantage of the program of planting forest trees, putting in an acre of transplants for which he received \$9.50.

Thirteen earth filled dams and four concrete dams were constructed for farm ponds under the program. For the 17 earthen dams, which contained a total of 22,836 cubic yards of fill, the payment was eight cents per cubic yard; for the 205 cubic yards of concrete dams \$6 per cubic yard was paid.

**Much Land Cleared**

One hundred and thirty-nine acres of land were cleared for pasture with the payments being \$10 per acre cleared and farmer received over \$500 for mowing weeds in pastures. The program provided 50 cents per acre per year for mowing weeds and 1,078 acres were mowed. Payment of \$2.50 per acre to establish sod in orchards was made and 224 acres were placed in sod under the program.

The county office estimates that 19,000 acres were treated with lime under the program and that 1,000 tons of the lime were applied to 500 acres of pasture. Other estimates showed that 8,500 acres received treatment with superphosphate and that 1,100 tons of superphosphate were applied to 7,400 acres of pasture.

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that continuation of the work with only one person serving as a visitor would prevent the job from being done as it should be done. And she is too conscientious to permit an incomplete job to be done.

**Willing to Continue**

The commissioners, in agreeing with the advisory board, after learning all the facts of the work, asked Miss Cunningham to "withdraw her resignation." Clark Fetters, speaking for the commissioners in the matter, said: "We have always been pleased with Miss Cunningham's work, it was simply that we did not know, and the day sheet reports did not show us, just how much work is to be done. We hope that Miss Cunningham will reconsider her resignation."

Miss Cunningham, contacted later this morning by The Gettysburg Times, said she is willing to continue as secretary in order to carry on the program.

Just how soon the additional visitor will be available is a question, with the commissioners scheduled to check with the state to determine whether one is available. The state office recommends and approves of secretaries and visitors. The secretary's salary is paid by the state and the county pays two-thirds of the visitor's salary. The county welfare service has been without a visitor since the resignation of Mrs. Mary Carrington as visitor in June.

**ROTARY PLANS**

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gram for the semi-monthly meeting of the Lions club Thursday at 7 o'clock at Banker's restaurant.

Three Littlestown Girl Scout troops are camping this week in cottages at Marsh Creek Heights. The campers are:

Intermediate Troop No. 26: Daria Lemmon, Phyllis Higinbotham, Mary Harner, Louise Kerns, Marilyn Spangler, Joan Koonitz, Audrey Eilen Brumbach, Suzanne Harner, Dawn Pettyjohn, Charolyn Grotz, Patricia Spangler, Shirley Crouse, Mary Lou King, Patricia Long, Virginia Koonitz and Barbara King.

Senior Troop No. 14 are: Jean Bish, Nadine Stites and Alvina Grotz.

Senior Troop No. 15: Joan Shull, Shirley Stonieser, Diane Stambaugh, Dixie Nester, Barbara Waltman, Shirley Brown, Jean Blocher, Shirley Jones and Marion Scott. Mrs. W. E. Stites is the camp cook.

The weekly rehearsal of the Littlestown Men's chorus will be held Thursday at 9 p. m. in St. Paul's Lutheran church.

An outdoor meeting of the Abigail Kammerer Missionary society of St. Paul's Lutheran church was held Monday evening on the lawn at the home of Mrs. Charles Ritter, South Queen street. Mrs. James Spaulding, vice president, was in charge of the meeting. The secretary's report was given by Mrs. Mahlon Bucher and the treasurer's report by Mrs. Dean Stover.

An invitation from Miss Vivian Brumgard, York Springs, R. D. to hold a meeting at her home was accepted and the next meeting will be held there on Monday, August 2. It will also be an outdoor meeting. Mrs. Charles Ritter presented the guest package which was received by Mrs. George Schaffer.

After the business session there was a wiener roast and a picnic supper which was served by Mrs. Ritter and her mother, Mrs. H. S. Crouse.

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Camden, N. J., July 14 (AP)—A 22-year-old American-born Japanese girl is seeking a passport to return to the land of her ancestors where she wants to take a position as a medical laboratory technician with the Atomic Bomb Casualty commission.

Alko Agnes Ida, who lives in Seabrook Village, near Bridgeton, N. J., applied for the passport in the U. S. District court here.

**M. C. LEAGUE TO MEET**

A meeting of the local Marine Corps League will be held Thursday night at 8 o'clock at the American Legion home to elect delegates and make plans for attendance at the national convention in Milwaukee. Reports of the state convention and reports of officers and committees will be received. All members and prospective members are urged to attend.







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**Out Of The Past**  
From the Files of the Star and Sentinel and The Gettysburg Times  
**TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO**  
**Rock Creek Is But of Council:**  
With every member agreeing that the Rock Creek situation deserves their best efforts aimed at a cure for present conditions, the Borough Council met at the Engine House Friday night.  
That council has not been idle in the matter was shown by the fact that S. Miley Miller, borough engineer, has already made a preliminary survey of the amount of slope available for running a new sewer line from the present disposal plant to Rock Creek at a point below town with the idea of installing a battery of additional septic tanks along the line.  
Petition for a raise in the salary of Andrew J. Weikert, chief of police, was granted. It will take effect from July 15.  
Police Seize 78 Cases of Beer in Center Square: Seventy-eight cases of five per cent beer were seized, and three Harrisburg men arrested by Corporal A. F. Dahlstrom and Private Hugh Weston, of the local substation of the State Police in Center Square, Thursday evening at 11:30 o'clock.  
The men were lodged in the Adams county jail to await a hearing. One of the men was released under \$1,000 bail furnished by his father.  
Attention of the state police to the one and one-half ton open truck piled high with cases in Center Square, was called by A. V. Weikert, chief of police.  
Straley, Warehouse: Word has been received in McSherrystown of the marriage of Miss Emma Warehime, daughter of Mrs. Emma Warehime, Westminster, Maryland, and Paul Straley, Two Taverns. The wedding took place in Pittsburgh on July 3. Mr. Straley was employed at a furniture factory in Gettysburg.  
Three Churches Hold Outings: Three Gettysburg churches held their annual church and Sunday school picnics on Thursday. They were St. James Lutheran, the Methodist Episcopal and Trinity Reformed.  
The latter two churches held their picnics at Caledonia Park, while St. James held its outing at Arendtsville Union Park.  
Baby Opens Drive: A five-month old baby made the first contribution to the fund for a nurses' home at the Annie M. Warner Hospital here. George Reich Miller, Jr., son of Professor and Mrs. George Reich Miller, West street, is the young man whose \$1 toward the erection of the much needed addition to the local institution will be the foundation for the drive for \$30,000 which authorities of the hospital will ask from citizens of Gettysburg and Adams county.  
The contribution was received by Miss Martha McKay, superintendent of the institution.  
Funeral Services: Funeral services for Earl W. Baumgartner, who was instantly killed on Monday morning when an iron pole he held came in contact with a high tension power line of the Cumberland Valley Light and Power company at Gardners, were held on Thursday morning from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Charles Baumgartner, Orrtanna, conducted by the Rev. T. C. Hesson, pastor of the Arendtsville Reformed church. Interment was made at McKnightstown.  
To Give Concert to Aid Hospital: A concert for the benefit of the Annie M. Warner hospital will be staged at the Quaker Valley Country club the evening of Tuesday, July 17.  
Roy Purviance, of New York, has offered his services for the occasion. His voice is known to millions of the theatre-going public.  
Gilbert Becker, of Hanover, and Charles Stock, of Gettysburg, are also scheduled to appear on the program. A quartette has been planned, composed of Mr. Purviance, J. Donald Swope, Mr. Stock and Charles Smith. Mrs. S. P. Snyder will act as accompanist.  
The committee on arrangements

**Today's Talk**  
**POPULARITY**  
Why do so many people want to be popular? Isn't it a thousand times better to be loved—even though that love may be extended to one by a mere half dozen? What a flimsy cloud is this thing that is called popularity! A mere wind of changed sentiment may brush it away, or dissolve it into the unfathomable blue.  
Poe was not popular in his day. Neither was Emily Dickinson, nor was Walt Whitman, yet these have proved to be the outstanding American poets, along with Robert Frost, who waited 20 years for genuine recognition.  
Winston Churchill was undoubtedly the most popular man in England during the recent war, and perhaps the most popular man in the world, yet he was shoved aside at the close of the war, and when Ann O'Hare McCormick, the New York Times correspondent, visited him at this latter time, he said to her: "Why do you come to see me? Don't you know I am a has-been, the forgotten voice in British politics?" Yet he remains as one of the great men of the world.  
Thus it has been throughout the history of time. Popularity is a shifting wind. Stevenson once wrote: "Here is the obverse and the reverse of that empty and ugly thing called popularity. Will any man suppose it worth gaining?"  
Who can name the popular "first seller" writers of 10 years ago, or the names of those who drew acclaim from the radio, screen and stage? Forgotten, most of them! There was a time when Colonel Lindbergh was the most popular figure in the world, and just so. Rarely is his name mentioned today. Of the thousands of books in my library few were the authors who were popular in their time and age. But worth lives!  
Nothing is said about the popularity of John, in the New Testament, but it is noted that he was "the beloved disciple." Even Jesus was not popular. It is written that "the people heard him gladly"—yet he was crucified!  
People of worth and character need nothing that popularity can offer to make them outstanding. They need no press agent. They acclaim themselves!  
Tomorrow Mr. Adams will talk on the subject: "Our Beginnings"

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**70 STATE VOTES WILL SUPPORT TRUMAN SLATE**  
Philadelphia, July 14 (AP)—Seventy Pennsylvania votes in the Democratic convention are officially pledged today to a Truman-Barkley ticket with four others undecided.  
Four delegates told a caucus of the big Keystone state delegation last night they are holding off on their choices until the nominations are in. Three of the dissenters previously had opposed endorsement of President Truman.  
"I think all four probably will wind up voting for the President," Delegation Chairman John S. Rice commented to a reporter following the meeting at Convention Hall.  
Meeting in a sweltering basement room, the delegates also heard a fervent plea from Mayor David L. Lawrence of Pittsburgh to stay in their convention seats from now on for expected convention fights on the civil rights and Taft-Hartley law issues.  
**Need Voting Strength**  
"There are many things in that platform which mean much to us politically in Pennsylvania," Lawrence said. "From now on, Pennsylvania should at no time be below its voting strength in the convention."  
"There may be a roll call and southern delegates may insist on polling the delegation," he continued.  
"If you can't be here for any reason, please make sure that your alternate attends so that all of Pennsylvania's votes can be counted."  
On the endorsement of President Truman for re-election and Sen. Alben W. Barkley as his running mate, the holdouts are:  
Benjamin R. Cappolo, of Weedville; Mrs. Bertha Kehoe, of Somerset; Richard F. Hartzell, Sr., of Lock Haven; and R. R. Edwards, Muncy banker. All are district delegates with one vote each.  
**Ignore Strong Pleas**  
They stood their ground in the caucus despite strong pleas from Frederic Mann, of Philadelphia; and John J. Kane, Allegheny county commissioner, that the voting may be made unanimous.  
Kane said the only way Democrats can lose is by the actions "of those who cannot put personal views aside in behalf of the party."  
Munn said Republicans will read into the action "lack of unity."  
Rice noted that Mrs. Kehoe was elected as a delegate pledged to back the popular choice and that President Truman carried her home district in the April 27 preferential primary. The other three were unpledged.  
"They are not going to vote me in a row," Edward told reporters before the delegation met.  
**Favored Eisenhower**  
He was an announced supporter of General Dwight D. Eisenhower for President before the collapse of the pre-convention boom for the five-star general. The others have never named a choice.  
Cappolo started off the dissenters after Rice announced anyone opposing Mr. Truman would be asked to stand and name a choice.  
"No one has been nominated. There is no preference yet. I wish to pass," Cappolo said. He added he would notify the chairman of his choice before the roll call starts.  
"Is there anyone else who wishes to pass?" Rice asked and the others stood up. Mrs. Kehoe declaring "I'll vote after the nominations have been made."  
It was the first formal meeting of the delegation since it was organized in Harrisburg late in June.  
At that time, a resolution endorsing Mr. Truman was adopted overwhelmingly. The action came in spite of objections from Mrs. Kehoe, Hartzell and Edwards that the delegation keep "an open mind."  
Kane asked for the vote for Mr. Truman and James Finnegan, Philadelphia Democratic chairman, that for Senator Barkley.

**Just Folks**  
By EDGAR A. GUEST  
The Feet of the People  
**BOY'S FUTURE**  
How many times we hear it said  
By fathers looking far ahead:  
"He worries me."  
That son of ours seems not inclined  
As yet to settle in his mind  
What he will be.  
"His mother shares my thought that he  
Should know what he intends to be,  
But when we ask,  
At us his head he'll slowly shake,  
As if he fears a choice to make  
Of any task."  
But long ago they wondered, too,  
From all there is on earth to do,  
What work to choose.  
Their futures all before them then,  
And countless posts awaiting men,  
But still no clues.  
There is a destiny or fate  
That leads a boy to man's estate.  
Somewhere, somehow,  
There waits for him a place or post  
To serve where he'll be needed most,  
Though hidden now.

**THE ALMANAC**  
July 15—Sun rises 5:43; sets 8:28.  
Moon sets 1:18 a. m.  
July 16—Sun rises 5:44; sets 8:27.  
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**MOON PHASES**  
July 20—Full moon.  
July 29—Last quarter.  
consists of Mrs. William C. Tyson, Mrs. C. Arthur Grist, Mrs. Arthur Rice, Mrs. T. M. Dill, Mrs. E. Muselman and Miss Eleanor Prickett.  
Flour \$6 a Barrel: (By Associated Press) Minneapolis, July 11.—Symptomatic with wheat, flour broke to a new low mark in about 8 years when one of the largest mills here set the price at \$6.00 a barrel in carload lots.  
**Personal Mention:** David Blocher and William Eden transacted business in Philadelphia on Wednesday.  
Misses Carrie Codori, Marie Codori, Mary Ramer, Anna Dillon, Ruth Stock and Edith Culp visited at St. Joseph's college Friday evening.  
Miss Martha Dickson, Baltimore street, is spending some time in Pittsburgh.  
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Menchey, Steinwehr avenue, announce the birth of a son on Wednesday afternoon.  
Miss Rose Topper, Carlisle street, is spending some time in Philadelphia and Baltimore.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Fridinger, of near Gettysburg announce the birth of a daughter on Tuesday.  
James Singmaster, Jr., of New York City, is visiting his grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Singmaster. He and a friend bicycled from New York over the Lincoln Highway, the trip requiring three days.  
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King Frederick IX. drove to the scene from nearby Graasten palace, the royal summer residence. He helped the queen and princesses into ambulances, in which they were taken to the state hospital at Soenderborg. Their condition was described as not serious.  
Police Superintendent P. Johansen said the queen was driving the royal car. The chauffeur was at her side, in the front seat. Princess Margrethe, eight, and Princess Ann Marie, 23 months, were in the back seat. The crash occurred near Lave Wood, north of Graasten, south Jutland.  
Queen Ingrid was able to get out of the car herself, although she limped from a fractured kneecap. She carried the two princesses out of the car.  
Both the little girls were bleeding from bruises of the face. The chauffeur suffered the most serious injuries—a fractured skull and a crushed jaw. His condition was termed serious.  
Lydda, front dispatches said.  
Guns hammered away around the rocky approaches to the Judean hills within sight of Lydda and Er Ramle which the Jews took after two days of fighting.  
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**Dem. Convention**  
**Lady In Green Had Goose Pimples But Wins Ovation**  
By HAL BOYLE  
Philadelphia, July 14 (AP)—The lady in green had goose pimples and a heart full of words.  
She also wore a pink petticoat, a big diamond ring bright as a firefly, and a solemn cocoa-colored makeup that crinkled as she talked.  
But the thing that made Congresswoman Helen Gahagan Douglas the toast of the Democratic convention last night was her mixture of mature beauty and her political earnestness.  
She was the Democratic answer to the glamor challenge raised by the Republicans three weeks ago when they featured Clare Boothe Luce as a convention speaker.  
And Mrs. Douglas was ready to take up that challenge!  
Men politicians may not learn from each other's mistakes—but smart political ladies do.  
Whether Congresswoman Douglas or ex-Congresswoman Luce is the most glamorous gal in politics is a hair-pulling question among feminine supporters of the two ladies. And the two ladies themselves—it is reasonable to assume—are aware of their rivalry. Both are former actresses.  
But last night La Belle Douglas had a big advantage. She had the edge that any experienced actress has after watching another actress perform under strange and new conditions.  
The new element was the magic and sometimes cruel eye of television. That eye turned Mrs. Luce, a slender, blonde, white-skinned beauty, into a pale, gesturing ghost on the television screen during her speech before the Republican convention.  
Mrs. Douglas, chestnut-haired wife of Movie Actor Melvyn Douglas, learned a makeup lesson from her rival. When she stepped to the speaker's table, she may have looked to the delegates slightly like Pocahontas getting ready to put in a good word for John Smith. But on television she was as pretty as Ingrid Bergman seen from the tenth row in the orchestra.  
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## Captive Coal Mines Speedily Return To Operation As 8-Day Dispute Ends

### REACH ACCORD ON UNION SHOP CONTRACT ISSUE

Pittsburgh, July 14 (AP)—Routine union meetings of captive coal miners were expected to halt a return to work movement until tomorrow despite a union-management agreement reached yesterday in Washington.

Major steel spokesmen commented early today that they either had received no word from their miners or else had received notification of the meetings.

Pittsburgh, July 14 (AP)—The steel company-owned "captive" pits were speedily returning to production today following settlement of an eight-day strike.

The contract walkout at its height idled nearly a fourth of the nation's 400,000 soft coal miners. Forty thousand of the idle were employed at captive pits and 55,000 commercial diggers laid down their picks in sympathy.

Many of the commercial miners have returned to work by the time the captive miners agreed to new contract terms previously accepted by the other operators.

United mine worker leaders in western Pennsylvania and West Virginia where most of the captives are located predicted immediate work returns by the miners. Other captive pits are in Colorado, Kentucky, Utah and Alabama.

The captive miners did not return to work at the close of the mine vacation July 6 because the steel companies had refused to sign the new

mine contract. The companies objected to its union shop provision.

Under a compromise reached in Washington yesterday, steel accepted the contract with the stipulation the union shop provision will be modified, if court rulings require it.

"Another Lewis Victory"

John Busarello, president of UMW District 5 in the Pittsburgh area, termed the compromise agreement "another victory for Lewis and his miners," he added: "We're chalking them up one after the other."

The strike cost a total coal output of 1,350,000 tons in western Pennsylvania alone.

Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corp., largest U. S. steel subsidiary, said it lost a combined total of 52,000 tons of coal during the mine vacation and the strike. Carnegie-Illinois was operating at 76.5 per cent of theoretical capacity.

U. S. Steel Corp. said its daily steel production loss during the walkout was 4,000 tons and said that figure would continue until miners return to work and build up stocks.

Other steel firms, like Jones and Laughlin Steel Corp. and Crucible Steel, were at peak production despite the coal loss. It was estimated stockpiles on hand would have carried the companies for another two to three weeks.

#### GET CITY PLANS

Easton, Pa., July 14 (AP)—A preliminary report on city planning activities has been given to Easton City Council, by Morris Knowles, Inc., of Pittsburgh. The council voted \$10,000 to expand the city planning program and employed the Knowles concern to continue its study after reading the report.



One of the eye-openers during opening session of second day of Democratic national convention in Philadelphia was Virginia Jack of New York, who demonstrates one of the results of the Philadelphia heat wave.—(AP Wirephoto)

Life insurance ownership in United States companies reached a record high of \$174,538,352.000 in 1946.

### CIVIL RIGHTS, LIVING COSTS PARTY ISSUES

By JAMES MARLOW

Philadelphia, July 14 (AP)—The high cost of living—blaming the other side for it—will be one of the main issues in the 1948 political campaign.

But here at the Democrats' convention, where they're getting ready for the campaign, the red hot issue has been on civil rights for Negroes. The southerners have fought bitterly to water down the language of any plank on civil rights which the party wrote into its campaign platform.

It's been an embarrassing problem

for the Democrats.

The embarrassment started months ago when President Truman asked Congress to pass a wide-ranging civil rights program.

If Congress had done that, the ones benefiting most would have been Negroes in the south.

But Mr. Truman's proposal so infuriated white southern politicians that they opposed his nomination as Democratic candidate for president.

So the problem of the Democrats in writing their plank on civil rights went like this:

1. Take a stand on civil rights but try not to make the southerners any angrier than they are already.

2. At the same time don't word it in such a way that the Democratic party would seem to be letting Mr. Truman down on his civil rights ideas.

Kept Generalized

3. And try to word it so that the

Negro voters in the big northern cities wouldn't turn away from the Democrats. Their vote in the November elections could mean victory to the side that gets it.

The Democrats finished writing their platform early today. The plank on civil rights isn't much different from the party's plank on civil rights in its 1944 platform.

But—it's a little less specific than the civil rights plank in this year's Republican platform.

Instead of stating the party's position on individual points in a civil rights program—such as abolishing the poll tax or passing an anti-lynching or anti-segregation law—the plank uses more general language.

Although the Democrats had control of Congress from 1944 to 1946, they didn't pass any major civil rights laws. Neither did the Republicans in the two years, 1946-48, in which they've controlled Congress.

Fruits make excellent hot garnishes for a meat dish. Used spiced pear halves, peach halves stuffed with chutney or spiced sour red cherries.

Marlow, England (AP)—Marlow's school board has hired a taxi, at \$25.00 per day, to drive disabled Alan Webb, 6, to and from school.

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# U.S. RELATIONS WITH BRITISH ARE IMPROVING

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
(AP Foreign Affairs Analyst)

One of the outstanding aspects of current international crisis is the increasing American-British solidarity — a solidarity which forms the backbone of the bloc of Democratic nations.

We get a striking demonstration of this in the coordination of effort being displayed in the battle of Berlin. We see it again in the way London has veered around to the Washington viewpoint that the United Nations should use strong methods to halt the war in the Holy Land.

This intensification of unity is due to numerous factors. But foremost is recognition that it is essential for the defense of democracy against Bolshevist aggression which aims at world conquest. Britain and America hold the balance of power

in this conflict which involves the freedom of mankind.

**Mutual Respect**

Then, too, there is a mutual respect for integrity and ability to deliver the goods in emergencies. I'm reminded of a remark made to me the other day in a New York subway by a young Englishman — a stranger to me — who was trying desperately to figure out how to reach his destination.

"I don't see how you folk ever get anywhere," he said gloomily, "but you always seem to arrive, so I suppose you must be right."

That was a backhanded compliment to the U. S. A. It was almost identical with what I've heard Englishmen say of their own country innumerable times: "We British have an extraordinary faculty for messing things up — but some way we always manage to muddle through."

**Appeal By King**

It's true that Americans frequently do "arrive" and that Britons as often "muddle through." Both countries recognize this quality in the other, and respect it. And if each also recognizes it in itself, what's wrong with that?

So it isn't strange that King

# PENNSYLVANIA 'AMBASSADORS' TO BE SELECTED

Harrisburg, July 14 (AP)—Pennsylvania will soon have its own "diplomatic corps"—but the job is open only to former residents of the Keystone state.

The Pennsylvania State Chamber of Commerce today asked local Chamber of Commerce to nominate distinguished former residents to receive the award of "Pennsylvania Ambassador" during Pennsylvania week. Nominations must be submitted to the state chamber by August 5.

An inscribed "ambassador" certificate bearing the seal of the commonwealth will be given to the persons nominated for the award. The certificate will include a brief record of the individual's achievements, and the signatures of the governor and other high state and local officials.

**Issue Nomination Forms**

Nomination forms have been sent

George VI. In addressing the American and other bishops attending the Lambeth conference in London should appeal for close collaboration between the United States and Britain to assure world peace. We may not be able to maintain peace, but the consensus of observers seems to be that such collaboration will contribute more towards it than will anything else.

We assign the rank of "Great Power" to five nations today: Britain, America, Russia, France and China. Poor China is a stricken giant, and France suffered so greatly in the war that she is far from her old self. Britain, too, is in the grip of a fierce economic crisis, and it will be years before Russia fully recovers from the last war. America is the most powerful economically and militarily, and by that token has volunteered to aid the less fortunate Democracies which are in danger of Bolshevik aggression.

**Altruism And Defense**

In this Uncle Sam is motivated partly by altruism. However, he also is acting in self-defense, for our front lines lie in western Europe. There must be solidarity among America, Britain, France and the other western European Democracies.

The trend of the struggle for Berlin hinges on this solidarity. The German people recognize this, as witness, banner lines in their newspapers proclaiming that "The whole

# Littlestown

Littlestown — Mr. and Mrs. Calvin M. Sentz, Sr., Cemetery street, have received word from the dean of Pennsylvania State college, that their son, James Sentz, who is a junior in the college, is on the dean's honor list for the past semester. He spent the weekend with his parents here.

Mrs. Ralph Whaler, West King street, returned home after spending two weeks with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whaler, Oaklyn, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. George Maitland, West King street, returned home from a week's visit to New Hampshire and Massachusetts, where they visited relatives and friends.

The Littlestown Foundry softball team defeated the Littlestown Bankers on Tuesday evening by a score of 1 to 0. This was a postponed game which had been previously scheduled for last Friday night and it was played on the baseball diamond as the softball diamond is required for the carnival concessions.

Tonight, Sonny's and Harry's team will play Conroy's team on the ball diamond.

The American Legion, VFW Carnival was rained out on Tuesday evening. Entertainment for tonight's carnival will be furnished by the Jamboree Gang.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ritter, daughter, Mary, and sons, Richard and Carl, East King street, returned Tuesday night from a trip to Betterton, Md. They were accompanied on this trip by Mrs. Ritter's father, Newton O. Sharrer, Rocky Ridge, Md., who is state treasurer of the Maryland Rural Letter Carriers' Association, which met this week at the Hotel Betterton.

day by Federal Judge Albert L. Watson. He was given a recess appointment July 3 by President Harry S. Truman, thus becoming the sixth marshal in the history of the middle district.

The new marshal was nominated on the recommendation of U. S. Sen. Francis J. Myers (D-Pa.). He succeeds Robert W. Rabb (Benton, Pa.), who died Jan. 2.

A single city was selected for the site of the conventions for both major U. S. parties in 1884, 1932, 1944 and 1948.

# BOYS AT CAMP ELECTING TODAY

Indianapolis, Pa., July 14 (AP)—Voters went to the polls at the American Legion's Keystone Camp here today to elect a boy governor of Pennsylvania.

Two slates of candidates were nominated yesterday after more than a week of politicking among the 300 boys encamped at the Indian-town Gap Military Reservation. They were:

Conservative party—for governor, Ernest Viozzi, Annville; lieutenant governor, Donald Gilbert, Wilkes-Barre; secretary of internal affairs, Edward Dzubak, Homestead; treasurer, Charles Donovan, Tunkhannock, and auditor general, Jerome Dietrick, Patton.

Progressive party—for governor, Richard F. Legaza, Monongahela; lieutenant governor, Jack Snively, New Cumberland; secretary of internal affairs, Harold Stratz, Emmaus; treasurer, Elias Thomas, Mc-

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Other bonds, notes, and debentures	10,000.00
Corporate stocks (including \$4,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	4,500.00
Loans and discounts (including \$5,000.00 overdrafts)	1,150,595.96
Bank premises owned \$2,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$2,500.00	4,500.00
Other assets	17,001.27
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$1,679,916.99</b>
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$ 416,769.04
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	929,263.49
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	14,154.58
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	108,098.76
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	15,201.59
<b>Total Deposits</b>	<b>\$1,483,486.96</b>
Other liabilities	4,125.00
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$1,497,612.46</b>
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock:	
(c) Common stock, total par \$50,000.00	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	42,916.53
<b>Total Capital Accounts</b>	<b>\$1,929,315.53</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts</b>	<b>\$1,679,916.99</b>

**MEMORANDA**

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$ 150,093.75

State of Pennsylvania,  
County of Adams, ss:  
I, A. E. Orner, Clerk of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

**A. E. ORNER, Cashier.**

Correct—Attest:  
S. G. RUCHER,  
W. A. RAFFENBERGER,  
W. LEROY ZIEGLER, Directors.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of July, 1948.

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10 Acres of this land is interplanted with peach and apple trees of the average age of 3 years, the balance of the land being in rotation crop farming, the said land being in a high state of cultivation.

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**Personal Property**

At the same time and place will be offered for sale, 1 6' by 12' truck bed with racks, 1 1-horse hay rake, 1 lime drill, 2 sets good front gears, 3 large sized horse collars, 2 bridles, set check lines, lead rein, plank bottom chairs and many other articles not herein mentioned.

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46 Plymouth Special De Luxe 2 Door, Radio-Heater, spot light.	
42 Chrysler Windsor Sedan, Blue, Radio-Heater, fluid drive, 30,000 miles.	
42 Oldsmobile 2 Door Sedan, hydramatic, 2-tone paint, new tires.	
41 Pontiac 8 Sedan, streamlined, black, good rubber, reasonable.	
41 Chevrolet Station Wagon, Heater, newly repainted, \$795.	
40 Nash Sedan, new paint, R. and H. good rubber, inspected, real buy.	
48 Chevrolet 4 Door Sedan, special de luxe, R. and H., new paint.	
38 Olds 4 Door Sedan, Radio and Heater, inspected.	
38 Buick 4 Door Sedan as it is for only \$450.00.	
37 Chrysler Royal Sedan, new paint and front end, inspected.	
37 Pontiac 2 Door Sedan, new tires, trunk, new front end.	
37 DeSoto as it is (grill out), inspected, real buy, \$395.	
36 Plymouth 2 Door Sedan, original paint, seat covers.	
36 Chevrolet 4 Door Sedan, black, trunk, very good condition.	
36 Chevrolet 4 Door Sedan, black, trunk, very good condition.	
35 Plymouth Sedan, 4 Door, new paint and upholstery, cheap.	
35 Dodge Sedan, black, cheap transportation.	
34 Chevrolet 4 Door Sedan, aluminum top, as it is \$295.	
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## FARM PRODUCE SHORT IN FALL

With less cattle on feed, a small lamb crop, and reduced farrowing of spring pigs, summer and fall supplies of meat are expected to be six to eight pounds per person below last year, according to Dr. Kenneth Hood, extension agricultural economist of the Pennsylvania State college.

But the average consumer, Dr. Hood said, will still have 20 pounds more for the year than he consumed before the war.

Present indications are that the supplies of fall milk in the large eastern markets will be short of fluid milk needs. Dairy cow numbers are down one per cent for Pennsylvania, and four per cent for the country as a whole. Attractive beef prices paid for dairy cows and heifers with good flesh has encouraged heavy culling. Scarcity and high price of experienced dairy farm help also will tend to limit fall production. Early summer feed prices are higher than milk prices, but feed should be cheaper by fall if good growing weather prevails, and milk prices may go up.

Fall egg prices should be favorable, Dr. Hood reports. With hatchings 13 per cent under a year ago, there are fewer laying hens, and with a milk and meat shortage, demand will increase for available egg supplies.

For turkey growers, he reports prospects are good. About one-fifth fewer turkeys are being raised this year than in 1947. Cold storage stocks are down. Turkey supplies for Thanksgiving and Christmas will be the lowest in 10 years.

## State Offers Short Beekeeping Course

Practical beekeeping will be stressed in the short course planned at the Pennsylvania State college August 9 to 14. Advance registrations are now being accepted. Prof. A. L. Beam, director of short courses, said:

Half of each day will be devoted to lectures and classroom instruction, and the rest of the day to actual work with bees in the five college bee yards. The course is planned to aid the more advanced amateurs as well as those starting in beekeeping.

Subjects include: spring management, swarm control, extracting methods, introduction of package bees, control of disease, queen rearing, and the marketing of honey.

The female of the peregrine falcon, used for centuries in hunting, is much larger and fiercer than the male of the species.

# News Of Interest To Upper Communities Of County

## Mummasburg

Mummasburg — Theresa Park, Paul Shue and John Miller were among a party of 16 who spent some time recently in Colorado. They spent one night in Kansas City, Missouri on the way west and on the return trip they visited in Chicago. While in Colorado they visited at Pike's Peak, Cave of the Winds, Garden of the Gods, Seven Falls and Colorado Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fritz and daughter, Dolores, and son, Charles, of York, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fritz on Sunday.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Shue were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dellinger, of Lancaster county, Miriam Horst Clinton Keener and daughter Lydia, of Hagerstown.

Sunday visitors at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Amos Myer were Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Sensing and children, Ruth Anne, James Lamar, and John David, Kenneth Lee, Ernest

## STEEL PRICES ARE GOING UP

Pittsburgh, July 14 (AP)—The steel industry had a new pricing method today and steel consumers looked for new—and higher—prices.

The big steel producers, like U. S. Steel corporation, formerly absorbed freight costs, or a big part of them, so they could compete on equal terms with other steel companies located nearer prospective customers.

Many prices were quoted on a "basing point" system just as though the mills were located at certain base cities instead of in Pittsburgh or Chicago. But that method recently was ruled illegal by the U. S. supreme court in a decision involving the cement industry.

Now the steel firms are quoting prices at the mills and the freight charges are paid by the customer.

The mills can quote a delivered price as long as it includes freight charges.

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UNION VOTES TODAY  
Allentown, Pa., July 14 (AP) — An Allentown, Pa., local of the United Auto workers voted in secret ballot on the possibility of strike action in its dispute with Mack Manufacturing company. The vote will be tabulated tonight. Union members

voiced unanimous approval of the conduct of its negotiating committee in sessions with the company. Some 2,000 members of the local were present at the meeting last night. Warner S. Sensinger, local president and chairman of the negotiating committee announced.

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IMPENDING SUIT DELAYS SCHOOL BUILDING IN PA.

Harrisburg, July 14 (AP)—An impending law suit blocks the way today to immediate action by the state on a multi-million dollar plan to help construct local public school buildings.

Russell C. Bartman, executive director of the state Public School Building Authority, said financial houses are wary of buying authority bonds until constitutionality of the 1947 authority law is tested.

The new law set up the authority to build schools and charge school districts a rental for up to 30 years until the buildings are paid off. It was designed to aid those districts which could not afford a huge outlay of funds for a building in the face of other increased expenses.

"We plan to have an amicable case brought before the state supreme court, perhaps during the September term, to decide on the constitutionality of the law," Bartman said.

Court approval would pave the way for raising the money to finance school projects. Bartman said some school district will be asked to seek funds under the law. A taxpayer then will be asked to protest and bring it to the court's attention. Bartman disclosed that nearly 100

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Emmitsburg.—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kuhn and daughter, of Waynesboro, visited on Sunday with Mrs. Gertrude Peters.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rodgers spent Thursday in Baltimore visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gus Cotterill.

Mrs. George Rosensteel spent from Thursday until Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gelwicks, Baltimore.

Miss Lillian Gelwicks, of New York, has returned home after spending a week with her sisters, Mrs. Thornton Rodgers and Mrs. George Rosensteel. While here she attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Rose E. Lingg.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers Topper, of Mt. Airy, Md., spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Rodgers.

Miss Adele Topper and sisters, Leota and Teresa, are spending a week at Aldantic City, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wolfe, and Mr. Wilhelm, of York, visited Sunday with Mrs. Ray Topper.

Edward Houck is a patient at the Waynesboro hospital where he recently underwent an operation.

Mrs. Allen Rosensteel and family and Donald Miller spent Saturday at Forest Park, Hanover, where they celebrated the 14th birthday of Mrs. Rosensteel's daughter, Pauline.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne L. Smith, of Philadelphia, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scott. Mrs. Rachael Richards and daughter, Shirley, of Baltimore, spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scott.

Daniel Saffer, of Baltimore, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Saffer.

Sister Cyril Wivell and Sister Timothy of the Mother House of the Sisters of Mercy, Mt. Washington, D. C., visited Saturday with Sister Cyril's sisters and brothers and their families, Mr. and Mrs. William districts have made inquiries about seeking aid. Cost of construction for the 53 districts that estimated their needs, he said, would come to about \$17,000,000.

There are 2,549 school districts in Pennsylvania, the executive director pointed out as an indication of the possible immensity of the program in future years.

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Upper End Farm And Business News

POLE FOR METER FARM FIRE AID

Modern methods of wiring a farmstead call for a meter pole or distribution pole in the yard, centrally located in regard to the power requirements.

The chief advantage of a meter pole is that it provides independent service to all farm installations. It is especially valuable in case of fire.

Under the old system, the entrance wire usually ran directly to the house, passing through to the back and on to the other buildings to be serviced. If the house caught fire, the electricity was cut off to the water pump and other units on the farm. With a meter pole the water pump can still function should other buildings take fire.

In addition to reducing the fire hazard, the center load distribution system is more efficient in supplying electric power to the outbuildings and is more adaptable to changes.

casters association at the charter convention, held in Boston, Mass. recently, Dr. Wasilifsky was also elected one of 11 national directors. Dr. Wasilifsky is the head of the English Department at St. Joseph's college and director of the Radio Workshop of the college. In 1943 St. Joseph's college organized the Radio Commission of the National Federation of Catholic college students with a view to improving listening tastes of Catholic college students. Next year St. Joseph's will conduct a national radio script pool and a national script contest to which all Catholic colleges in the United States will be invited to participate.

The members of the Methodist Sunday school will conduct a food sale on the church lawn on Saturday morning, July 17 at 11 o'clock.

Mickey Chrismer, of Baltimore, is spending a week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Chrismer. Week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chrismer were Wayne Chrismer and sons, Jimmy and David.

Any person wishing to make the trip to Hershey sponsored by the Woman's club, is asked to give his name to Mrs. Harry Boyle not later than this evening. The trip is scheduled for Thursday, July 15.

Gerald Eckenrode, of Towson, Md., visited on Sunday with his father, Charles E. Eckenrode, and Mrs. Eckenrode and his brother, Paul Eckenrode.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peddicord and children, of Baltimore, were visitors Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Roddy, Jr. Both families held a picnic at Red Run park, near Waynesboro.

Frank Bouey and daughter, Nancy, of Altoona, are visiting Miss Sara Lawrence and Mr. and Mrs. James Bouey.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hemler and family, of McSherrystown, were visitors on Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. Ray Topper.

A quarterly meeting of the Central Maryland section of the Holy Name society will be held Sunday afternoon, July 18, at 3 o'clock, in St. John's hall, Frederick. The spiritual director and at least six delegates are obligated to attend this meeting from each parish.

The evening of games sponsored by the Sodality of St. Joseph's Catholic church which are usually held on the third Thursday of every month will be held this month on Thursday, July 22, at the home of Mrs. J. Lewis Topper.

SAY COSTS ON FARM RISE FAST

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Farm parity (relation between farm costs and farm prices) equals 116. This is down six points from January. Present price supports will continue for another year. After that there will be a flexible support program depending upon supplies.

The armament program, it is pointed out, will limit steel available for farm machinery. Machinery prices continue to rise. Farm labor is relatively more expensive than labor-saving machinery.

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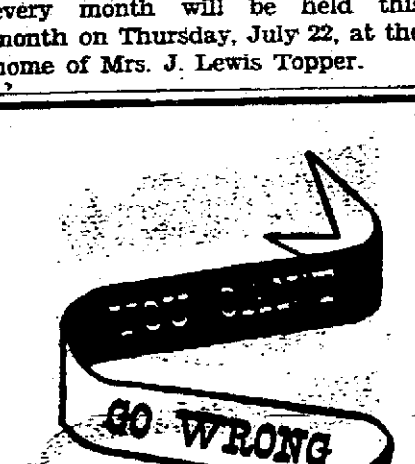
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Time Of Cutting Is Clover Seed Factor

Properly timing the cutting of the first crop for hay is one of the main factors in improving the yields of red clover seed. This was indicated in a series of tests conducted in various parts of Pennsylvania by research workers of the Pennsylvania Agricultural Experiment Station.

Providing a sufficient concentration of honeybees at blossoming time, and establishing proper soil fertility conditions were also found to be important factors. However, early cutting of the first crop for hay showed the greatest response in the seed yields with red clover.

With an annual demand of over 9 million pounds of clover seed in Pennsylvania, more home-grown seed could be used, and the experiments clearly showed that greater production could be provided through better management. At present, only about 22,000 bushels of clover seed are produced annually in Pennsylvania.

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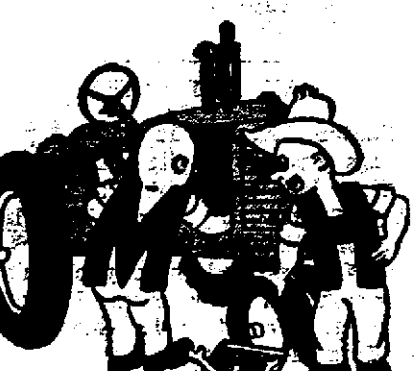
TIPS ON CARE OF STRAWBERRIES

An intensive cultural program following the strawberry harvest will help carry over this year's fruiting bed for another crop next year, say County Agents Hartman and Dunmire.

Most of the plants which have fruited this year should be destroyed, with just enough of the plants saved to produce a full matted row of new runners during the remainder of the season.

Tops of plants in good stands may be mowed off and the bed cleared of mulch and leaves. Mix 200 to 300 pounds of nitrate of soda or an equivalent amount of some other nitrogenous fertilizer with 300 to 400 pounds of superphosphate or a mixed fertilizer, such as 0-12-6. This mixture will suffice for one acre. An equivalent amount of high-nitrogen complete fertilizer may be used.

After applying the fertilizer over the plants, dig the rows and the area between with a harrow or cultivator. Many plants will be destroyed and the ground loosened around those remaining. Rows may be narrowed down to 8 to 12 inches. Use a hand hoe to dress up the patch and handle it the rest of the season the same as a new planting.



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